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CHARGE IN COMMONS R.C.M.P. MILITARIZED

Nine Die In Sicily When Big British Seaplane Crashes

Flying Boat on Way to Malta and Singapore Wrecked and Burned in Hills; Eight R.A.F. Officers Killed

One Passenger Among Victims

Canadian Press
Messina, Italy, Feb. 15.—Eight officers of the Royal Air Force and one passenger were killed to-day when an R.A.F. flying boat crashed in the hills near here.

The machine was one of four new short-Singapore four-engined planes en route from Britain to the big British base at Singapore.

The machine, in thick fog, crashed on a hillside and immediately burst into flames.

The occupants were incinerated.

PASSENGER NOT IDENTIFIED

Admiralty advised were that the plane was in charge of Flight Lieutenant Henry Longfield Beatty and Flying Officer John Alexander Cheshire. In addition there was a crew of six and a passenger whose name was not immediately obtainable.

The plane had taken off from Naples for the air force base at Malta, its next stop on the long journey to Singapore.

The squadron had reached Naples two weeks ago and was delayed there because of engine trouble in two of the planes. After replacement parts had been obtained from London late last afternoon the planes started for Malta. In passing over the village of San Filippo one of them crashed.

FRENCH CABINET WINS TEST VOTE

Canadian Press
Paris, Feb. 15.—Premier Pierre Léonard Flaminin stated the life of his government on his industrial recovery plan in the Chamber of Deputies this evening, and won a vote of confidence by 446 to 124.

Premier Flaminin denounced the "money power" fighting his financial plan, which made the case a real issue of the extent of support of the government, then emerging the chamber with him.

Rumors In Hauptmann Case Are Given Denial

Investigating Officials Say Newspaper Wrong in Telling of Evidence Against Second Man

New York, Feb. 15.—Chief Defense Counsel E. J. Kelly to-day said the appeal against the conviction and death sentence of Bruno R. Hauptmann would be worked out by Frederick A. Pepe and Robert Roseman, two of his New Jersey associates in the defense.

"Roseman will seek a writ of error on Monday," he said.

TO PENITENTIARY

Associated Press
Pompton, N.J., Feb. 15.—Sheriff John H. Curtis to-day announced Bruno Richard Hauptmann, con-

"CADDY" SEEN THIS MORNING

W. Chandler and A. Prezeau Watched Sea Serpent Off Waterfront

Canadian Press
Victoria, Feb. 15.—A sea serpent was again in Victoria waters. The serpent was watched this morning for ten minutes by W. Chandler, 1315 Carlton Street, and A. Prezeau, 1308 Hillside, who were trimming lights at the corner of Dallas Road and Menzies Street.

At about 9:30 o'clock Mr. Prezeau glanced up from his work and saw "Caddy" travelling with about two feet of his head and neck out of water, near the breakwater.

Mr. Chandler said the sea serpent was having a head like a camel and being a dirty green-brown in color. Mr. Prezeau estimated his length to be about twenty-five feet. He could not see all of him, however, and was uncertain about this.

"Caddy" was first seen about 100 yards from shore, travelling fast. Unusually white, it swam over the surface of the cold, and occasionally he was seen under water for about seventy-five feet at a stretch. Both men ran along the path at the top of the beach while they watched "Caddy."

Mr. Chandler and Mr. Prezeau are now firm believers in "Caddy." They admitted they had "pooched" the men at first, but the two passengers still had doubts in their minds about the sea serpent's existence.

SAYS R.C.M.P. TOO MUCH LIKE ARMY



HON. ERNEST LAPONTE
Member of the Commons for Quebec East.

MACON CREW LANDS AFTER RESCUE AT SEA



It was a kind but thankful group of Canadian sailors when today the wife demanding the bodies of the crewmen of the Pointe Eliza bridge disaster were left alone. They were the forty-four survivors of the disaster, which took place yesterday by the MacOn. The men were down in the Pacific Ocean off the California coast. Twenty members of the MacOn crew, eight of whom were saved

Jobless Insurance Bill Gets Sharp Debate In Commons

Premier Bennett's "Reforms" Are in Reality "Electionitis," Says Hon. J. L. Ralston; Constitutionality of Course Questioned

MANION SPEAKS FOR MINISTRY

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Although only one member has announced absolute opposition to the unemployment bill, the measure has provided a high political issue as debate on its second reading moves to a close in the House of Commons. Prime Minister R. B. Bennett will bring the debate to an end and a vote will be taken late to-day or next Monday.

Late yesterday evening the discussion rose to a climax as views were exchanged across the floor between Hon. J. L. Ralston, Liberal member for Sudbury, Yarmouth, N.S., and former Minister of Finance, and Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways the chief figures.

Earlier in the day Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Liberal member for Quebec East and former Minister of Justice, laid a legal barrage against the bill, claiming it contravened the powers of Parliament and predicting it would not stand up before the courts.

Hon. Bourassa, Independent, Quebec, also declared himself opposed to the bill.

The galleries were crowded and members' time in their seats while the battle lasted, a sharp battle

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Marketing Funds Not For Promotion

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Money advanced to agricultural organizations under the Natural Products Marketing Act was advanced under certain conditions. Hon. Robert Connell, Minister of Agriculture, told the House of Commons, "None of the conditions authorized its use for purposes of promotion."

The minister was answering a question from R. J. Thorpe, Liberal Member, who asked whether the reports from the British and French governments

This reply was made by Adolf Hitler's Government to the French

Hitler Government Agrees to Examine Questions Raised in British-French Accords

Canadian Press and Associated Press
Berlin, Feb. 15.—The German Government to-night advised Great Britain and France that Germany had "a sincere desire to promote the safeguarding of peace" and advised them two nations that the European questions they raised in the recent League of Nations would be

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Notes of the Legislature

MONDAY'S SCHEDULE

In the Senate, Heribert Amos, Independent, Victoria.

YESTERDAY'S HAPPENINGS

Rev. Robert Connell, C.C.P. Leader, spoke in the debate criticizing the government.

Clive Flavel, Peace River, spoke, asking how to solve, attacking Major McLean's financial reforms.

Thomas Uppill, Labor, Prince Edward, spoke, pleading for special assistance for Fernie district.

John Johnson, Victoria, addressed the house.

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Committees for the session were named.

The house adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Petitions for private bills for the cities of Vancouver and Victoria were presented to the house yesterday.

Conrad B. Wiener, Liberal, Vancouver, introduced, is sponsoring the Vancouver measure.

Byron "Boo" Johnson, Liberal, Victoria, will handle the Victoria bill.

Rev. Robert Connell, C.C.P. Leader, delivered himself of some sharp salutes of the government side of the house.

It is believed the crews were delayed by the dense fog.

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ON GRADE

The wreck occurred one mile west of Lynden Station and seven miles from the police station. During a snow storm eight weeks ago, the tracks were closed.

One freight was en route to Palmerston, going up a long grade.

The other was en route to the opposite section and was believed to have been thrown over to the westbound track by a switch.

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NOT PLAYING POLITICS

Mr. Connell opened his address by denouncing that when he moved last year to eliminate the debt he was playing politics.

"I do not play politics, nor do I look upon politics as a game, but as a serious business," he declared.

The opposition leader said the only part of the speech from the Throne he had heard conveyed the impression that it was a war-time report.

The situation was so grave for the opening that it was not until the last minute that the government could not have to contribute.

From the speech delivered by R. B. McLean, Vancouver-Powell Grey, in opening the debate it would appear the presence of an opposition in the house was almost an experiment, but it did not seem to give the government much trouble.

Mr. McLean said it would give the government, who know no other means of livelihood, a chance.

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HELP SOUGHT FOR MUSICIANS

Government Could Assist to Offset "Canned Music," Members Say

Radio "canned" music in theatres

and the general tendency toward mechanically produced music had driven many professional musicians out of work in British Columbia and some members of the Legislature ask to do something about it.

In the House yesterday Clive Flavel, Peace River, and Thomas Uppill, Fernie, put in a word for the musicians.

Mr. Flavel, who used to have

and wine saloons he attended to handle restaurants and trains,

pointed out that if "canned" music were also permitted in these places it would go a long way toward advancing the present situation.

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small dry goods store, said it would give the musicians, who know no other means of livelihood, a chance.

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Parliament Is Urged To Seek Information On How Force Now Operates

DIESEL AUTO RECORD SET

Associated Press

Daytona Beach, Fla., Feb. 15.—Dave Evans, Indianapolis race driver, set a new world record for diesel-powered cars to-day averaging 100 miles per hour for 100 miles over the measured mile of the course where Sir Malcolm Campbell hopes to hit the automobile speed record to 300 hours an hour.

FUEL INQUIRY BACK IN APRIL

Hon. E. Lapointe says Red Coats have become over-militarized; Minister of Justice denies it

C. G. Power asks about 'Third Degree'

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—The Royal Canadian Mounted Police force was charged in the House of Commons to-day with being over-militarized and practising the third degree. Both charges were denied by Minister of Justice Hugh Guthrie.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Liberal member for Quebec East, and former Minister of Justice, charged Canada's red coats had become over-militarized in recent years but, Mr. Guthrie said it never had been and never would be more than a police force.

C. G. Power, Liberal, Quebec South, referred to charges made recently by Nova Scotia lawyer against tactics used by the Mounties. These were serious charges "of third degree offences. I think this house should know just to what extent Canada's military police are carrying on third degree measures," he said.

The British Columbia fuel inquiry, which has comprised its first session in Victoria and on Monday will open for two weeks in Vancouver, will return to Victoria in April or later in the spring, when the oil and gasoline companies will be investigated and a start made in inquiring into the capital structures and general finances of the oil and other companies, it was announced to-day.

OLD TRAGEDY IS RECALLED

Fred J. Peatt, died yesterday, was survivor of Point Eliza Bridge Disaster

The Point Eliza bridge disaster of 1929 was recalled by the death yesterday of Frederick James Peatt, 600 Craigflower Road, who was conductor of the ill-fated street car which crashed through the bridge, carrying many passengers to their death.

Mr. Peatt, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital in his ninetieth year, was born in the Hawaiian Islands. He came to Victoria with his parents at the age of twelve years, the family settling at Colwood, where they farmed for many years. As a boy he attended the old Craigflower School.

For thirty-three years Mr. Peatt was in the service of the British Columbia Electric Railway, working in Victoria in November, 1922. He was conductor of the street car which was buried into the water when the Point Eliza bridge collapsed in May, 1929, during the holiday celebrations, carrying many to their deaths and was one of the few survivors of the tragedy.

For many years Mr. Peatt was an elder of the United Church and was a respected member of the Foresters and Sons of England.

He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. K. McPherson and Mrs. S. H. Shaw of Victoria, Mrs. J. McDermid, Vancouver, and Mrs. T. Stewart, Port Alberni; two sons, Gladys and William, Victoria, their grandchildren, and one brother, Alfie, at Colwood.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Sands Mortuary. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay cemetery.

Forrestal's Budget Coming Week Monday?

Sixty-six Bills Drafted For Legislature; Speed Up Next Week

With the first week of the Throne Speech debate ending to-day, the B.C. Legislature will get down to business in earnest next week. It was indicated this morning.

Government legislation is well ahead of the usual schedule and already sixty-six bills have been drafted and ready for printing for presentation to the House.

The general expectation is that the debate will wind up in the middle of next week and it is predicted Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, will present his budget on Monday, Feb. 26.

Members are awaiting with more than usual interest upon the budget this year in view of the statements by the government that the current accounts will be balanced.

Furthermore, the statement of estimates for the first nine months of the present year will also be an interesting picture, it is forecast.

While Mr. Hart starts the year with an anticipated deficit of more than \$2,000,000, it is understood a great part of this deficit has been wiped out.

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I shall be pleased to recommend Harris' Wondro and should you at any time wish to use this letter as a testimonial you are at liberty to do so.

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NOTES OF THE LEGISLATURE

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He likened S. S. McKeon who spoke the day previously to a nervous young curate before a ladies' aid meeting.

Mr. Connell said he did not regard politics as a game and therefore did not "play politics."

The premier, said Mr. Connell, remained in his office, "waiting for something to turn up."

In one part of his address the opposition leader was called to order by Premier Pattullo for "the unparliamentary procedure" of "using proper names of members, rather than the term 'honorable member.'

Chef Plante declared R.G. is "the watching of the Empire on the Pacific."

He said a lot about the proposed Washington-Alaska Highway, declaring if the U.S. wanted the road so urgently it should reconsider the boundaries of the Alaska Panhandle to give northern B.C. a coast outlet.

Mr. Plante characterized the financial reform plans of Mayor McGeer of Vancouver as "clinking communism under money magic and sugar coating it with religious fervor."

"This is the only area I know of in the world where you are placed in the position of being really permitted to drink beer, but not to eat," the Peace River member said.

He wanted "cultured, living music" in eating and drinking places as a means of giving work to unemployed musicians.

Thomas Uphill, Fernie member, tried to take the floor at the start of the session to ask what the government would do for Fernie. He was ruled out of order, but managed to say it all later when he joined the debate.

Mr. Uphill called the speech from the Throne "a large piece of paper with very little in it."

"I was brought up too modest, that's why I'm so ignorant" was another Uphill tally.

"All cities are financially embarrassed," Mr. Uphill said. "It's just as well to borrow \$5 from Jack Price and when the time comes to pay it back I have to borrow \$5 from Aspinwall to do so."

The force of Mr. Uphill's speech

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Ballroom, Victoria, B.C., 245 p.m., Speaker, Mr. F. H. Burton, "Canadian Women's Club in London." June Richards, pianist.

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Pepper Market Inquiry Urged

Disastrous London Speculations Raise Questions in Commons

Canadian Press
London, Feb. 15.—The National Government safely passed its elaborate vote of non-confidence faced a new problem to-day in the disastrous pepper market speculations.

The house rejected the motion of censure for the government's handling of the dole problem by a thumping majority—976 to 67. The pepper gambles had brought about the collapse of the course of the date, and blamed on by those who have been clamoring for an investigation of the identity of the prime mover in the ill-fated speculation, which brought through firms into receivership.

Mr. Harry Louis Nathan, Liberal member for North Vancouver, called the attention of the Commons to "ugly rumors" and "grave suspicion."

"Do not let the government lead the House to believe," he said, "that it was fear of a general election which affected the city stock exchanges."

"It was rumors and speculations of what was taking place, what it has led up to and who is involved in these speculations. The reason for signs sold securities is that the British from Paris last Tuesday broadened their purchases of pepper which would equal the Starkey scandal in France."

SENATE HEARS WAR DEBATED

Hon. J. J. Hughes Urges Sweeping Changes in Rules in Canada If Conflict Comes

POWER LACKING

Rt. Hon. Walter Eustance, President of the Board of Trade, said yesterday evening that he had no power to take action against persons or companies financing the transaction.

Grenfell also had posed a question asking, in particular, and particularly regarding the persons owning shares and the names of the companies which would have profited if the pepper gamble had succeeded.

MANION SPEAKS

Rt. Hon. Walter Eustance, Minister of Railways, closed to the defense of his colleague. He accused the Liberals, while a general hubbub broke out in the House of playing party politics at the expense of the good of the people, and suggested they co-operate with the administration in putting into effect "legislation that will be useful this year."

At the time of election, said Dr. Manion, the people would have to decide between "the man who always talks about his principles and does not practice them and a man like the present leader of the government who may at times perhaps be inconsistent in his statements but who uses the common sense and tries to bring into effect corrections of the economic system under which we are living in order to save that system in which we believe."

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Dr. Manion wondered if the Liberal leader had "electoralists" when he boasted Ottawa charwoman on the eve of an election.

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Dr. Manion accused the Liberals of

taking against the insurance bill but

voting for it, and predicted they

would do everything they could to make it unworkable.

He charged Liberals with overloading the Canadian National Railways with men, women and children and of using it "as a political pork barrel" on the eve of an election.

FUND OF \$21,000,000

If an unemployment insurance bill had been launched in the early years of the Liberal regime, a fund would

have been built up that would have

been of incalculable assistance in the years of depression.

At 12 per cent of the accumulated

wages in 1931, a fund of \$21,000,000 would have been built up in a single year, said Dr. Manion.

The minister said that although

the Liberals accused the Prime Minister of inconsistency and changing his mind, he would predict not one of them would have the courage to vote against the insurance bill.

BOURASSA'S STAND

Absolute opposition to the bill was

expressed by Henri Bourassa, Independent, Quebec.

He said he did not know what

was to be done with the surplus

of the bill.

FUEL INQUIRY BACK IN APRIL

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The German Government will

thoroughly examine the whole docu-

ments concerning the European ques-

tions contained in them. The ex-

amination will be conducted in the

spirit of a sincere desire for peace

of the German Reich in its

geographically especially situated

situation in the heart of Europe.

AIR DEFENSE

The German Government will

thoroughly examine the question of

what measures the disposal of

air armament should be made

as soon as possible which shall pro-

vide for the immediate employment

of the air forces to the signatory

states of the victim of an unprovoked

air attack.

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POST READY FOR HEIGHT FLIGHT

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

METROPOLITAN Y.P.S.

The Metropolitan Young People's Society used as their theme Monday night "When Cupid Plays Host." They had as their guests the First United Young People. The hall was decorated with a spot-light in the background and crepe hearts tacked about the room. An orchestra, composed of Margaret Pringle, Bert Bottom, Bill Bottom and John Flynn, contributed numbers. Mr. H. A. Ware led a short program. Robert McLean, president, as master of ceremonies and welcomed the guests. Several little girls of Emily Cole gave amusing dramatic readings, including Eileen Chester, Doree Stockley and Joyce Beston.

Another theme in keeping with the "Valentine" theme of the world, which opened with the audience singing "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," as Canada's love song, Doug Ritchie sang "Otchi Chornaya," or "Dark Eyes" for Russia, with Catherine Craig as accompanist. For Ireland Molly Lally sang "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," with Ruth Anderson as accompanist. Lloyd McElroy sang "Alone" his guitar for Hawaii; Jim McEvie gave two songs for Scotland. Ruth Amble sang in Swedish and accompanied herself; for France Doug Ritchie sang "Parlez Moi D'Amour," or "Speak to Me of Love," in French. Catherine Craig accompanied; for England, Dorothy Evans, and her accompanist; for U.S.A. Slim Hunter and his Rusters. Leo Holden guitar and violin. Roger Perulier violin and "Frankie" on his mouth organ.

A game of squeeze had the young people on their feet for a few minutes, after which Rev. E. P. Church gave words to the visitors. Miss LeGresley played a piano solo. Andy Swick, magician, caused much merriment.

While refreshments were being served the orchestra gave several numbers. The lady attendants wore sprays of huge hearts, adding a touch to the theme of the evening. Guests attending were Hazel McPhee, Alma Keefer, Doris Smith, Rita Keefer, Phyllis Turner, Myrna Fuller, Orr Monroe, Lee Cannon, Bill Leonard, Elbert Wood, Fred Waldron, Harry Bates and Will Wilson. As the meeting came to a close aallowance was made for the members of the provincial Y.P.S. United, thanked their hosts and hoped they would be able to invite them at a later date. A most enjoyable evening came to an end with everyone singing "Abide With Me."

This week's programme is the fourth in the series. "Building a Christian World" is the theme will be "A New Church."

ST. JOHN'S Y.P.A.

Members of St. John's A.Y.P.A. spent a pleasant evening Monday, when O. S. Ormond gave an interesting talk on lantern slides on Norway.

The speaker presented the general history of Norway, dealing with protection, fire-fighting, replanting survey, game reserves and management. Prior to the talk a business session was held. The dramatic committee produced a short play, "The Three Floor Back" would be the play to be presented at Easter.

Mrs. W. White and John Spindis were visitors.

The boys of the A.Y.P.A. agreed to take charge of the "sweeping on Sunday," under the direction of Mr. G. McLean, with C. Wallace and J. Horner, G. Green and J. Lewis as a committee. Jack Laver was chosen to graduate on his election to the church committee.

The members are requested to come in old clothes on Monday evening in preparation's night.

The committee is asked to note there will be a meeting to-night, at the home of Miss Vivian Dods.

KNOX Y.P.S.

On Monday evening the Knox

JAPAN ARMY BUDGET VOTED

House Approves Great Sum and Sends Bill to House of Peers

Associated Press
Tokio, Feb. 15.—The House of Representatives, accepting the militarists' dictatorial "internationalization" of the economy, record army and navy appropriations, overwhelmingly passed the 1935-36 budget yesterday. An uncounted standing vote sent the measure to the House of Peers.

The budget provides for approximately \$600,000,000 for military expenditures. The sum, largest in Japanese history, represents approximately forty-six per cent of the entire expenditure contemplated for the current fiscal year.

Big Four Wheat Delegates to Meet

Canadian Press
London, Feb. 15.—The meeting of the International Wheat Advisory Committee scheduled for March 5 has been postponed, pending clarification of the position on export quotas of the Big Four—Canada, Australia, Argentina and the United States.

Instead, representatives of the Big Four will be asked to meet here on that date for a fresh attempt to seek agreement on extending and amending the existing international wheat agreement, which otherwise would expire on July 31, end of its two-year term.

The International Wheat Commission was unable to accomplish anything at its meeting in Brussels last November, and extension of the agreement, as well as establishment of new export quotas, is still up in the air. Trouble over a large increase in its quota sought by Argentina was mainly responsible.

Alaska Contract Labor Bill Killed

Associated Press
Juneau, Alaska, Feb. 15.—The territorial house late yesterday, by a vote of 9 to 7, killed the contract labor bill, a measure aimed at large concerns which contract outside Alaska for labor for seasonal work here. Before the vote was taken, the Attorney-General announced his belief it was unconstitutional.

The House also defeated by a 10 to 6 vote the Green motion to Com- mittee on Finance for change in the Jones shipping bill which would allow foreign vessels to carry freight to Alaska.

New Zealand Butter Imported

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Canada imported 697,100 pounds of butter from New Zealand and none from Australia during 1934. Hon. Senator Arthur Maighen told the Senate yesterday.

The imports from New Zealand were by individuals and none by the Dominion Government, he stated. The question was asked by Senator H. G. Bennett, Liberal, Quebec.

WANT ANTI-SHEEP VOTE

Edmonton, Feb. 15.—(Canadian Press)—Taking a referendum at the next Alberta general election on abolition of sale of beer by the glass was urged when a joint delegation from the Alberta Farmers' Association and the Southern church denominations interviewed the provincial government yesterday. Premier R. G. Reid stated in reply that the government would give the request immediate consideration—now that the delegation would be advised only of the returns.

GREAT WORKS PLANS URGED

President of Vancouver Board of Trade Suggests Schemes to Absorb Jobless

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 15.—Need of a great public works programme to absorb unemployment and the necessity of governments leaving business to the business leaders to work out an economic recovery were emphasized by T. S. Dixon, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, in an address to members of a service club yesterday.

It was felt the federal government recognized unemployment had reached a national emergency and it should be handled in a broad and uniform way by the practical expenditure of federal money, he declared.

"Money is being spent throughout Canada, hardly any proportion of which will show any return on the investment," he said.

Reviewing trade and industrial figures of recent years, he indicated the corner had been turned.

"In spite of many restrictions placed on business by the government, the wheels of industry are turning and turning more rapidly towards eventual recovery," he said. "We must have a programme, will be the instinct of his leaders to serve him way out of its difficulties."

"There is danger, however, in too much government interference."

Ministers Of Health To Meet

Provincial Department Heads Invited to Confer With Ottawa Officials

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Provincial ministers of health will be invited to confer with Hon. D. M. Sutherland, Minister of Pensions and National Health at a convenient date, probably soon after March, when the provincial legislatures have prorogued, it was learned today.

Speaking recently in the House Col. Sutherland stated his intention of entering such a conference. Deputy ministers of health have frequently held conventions, but this will be the first time provincial and Dominion ministers will assemble to discuss health problems.

Provincial ministers would be given opportunity to bring up any subjects they desired. Col. Sutherland said the meeting would probably include health insurance.

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A BUSINESS PRODUCING RESULTS

IT IS NOW REALIZED THAT THE SELLING of Victoria and other parts of the province by well-ordered publicity is becoming more and more effective, and it was interesting to learn from the report of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau the other day, that advertising literature reached no fewer than 50,000,000 people last year—all of it about Vancouver Island!

Commissioner George L. Warren's report included this statement, which, in itself, speaks volumes: "During the last ten years the bureau has prepared and sent out to the newspapers, magazines and periodicals of all kinds in all parts of the English-speaking world, innumerable illustrated articles, long and short, paragraphs and 'fillers,' all telling from 101 different angles of the beauties and attractions of Victoria and Vancouver Island—our climate, our fishing, our golf, our forests, our rivers, our industry, our history and our pleasant social life."

Operating under a modest financial allotment, the bureau has achieved more than most people imagine. Another extract from the report tells us that "during 1934 more than 5,000 copies of articles, paragraphs and 'fillers' were sent out to newspapers, magazines and other publications in Canada, the United States, Great Britain, European settlements in the Orient and Hawaii. The total circulation of the papers, magazines and periodicals supplied is well over 10,000,000, which means that at a conservative estimate interesting reading matter and photographs describing and picturing Victoria and other parts of Vancouver Island were placed before some 50,000,000 readers during the last twelve months."

What should be remembered by all those who desire to see more business coming into this city from the outside is that if Victoria is to hold its position in the field of competitive advertising for the tourist business, it is necessary that all should co-operate harmoniously and, as Mr. Warren's report advises, "strive to obtain increased financial support" for the future use of the local bureau.

No business requires so little financial outlay to return enormous dividends as the tourist business. This surely is recognized now.

COMING TO THEIR SENSES

HITLERIZED GERMANY SEEKS TO have come to its senses and is ready to discuss the Anglo-French and French-Italian proposals in a peaceful frame of mind. Reichsführer Hitler assured the British and French ambassadors to-day in Berlin that he was ready to discuss the proposed air pact.

This is all to the good. There was a time when Premier Mussolini found great glee in rattling the sword; but that day is far behind. Even the Matteotti affair of 1923 seems to have been forgotten. It is the old adage that office and responsibility mellow.

It is suggested in official quarters in Berlin that these discussions may lead to other agreements of a non-military and non-aggressive character, "likely not only to relieve European tension, but also to break down the wall of pact threatening the Reich's borders and answer the long-puzzled question of Germany's armament status."

The Deutsche Diplomatische Korrespondenz, generally regarded as the government's official mouth-piece, says: "The utterances of government officials, during the last month, regarding the points raised . . . show Germany's attitude is positive in an attempt to forestall an armaments race and the danger of war . . . an essential new element in the London document (meaning the Anglo-French pact) is the suggestion for a mutual air defence agreement, which, of course, arouses widest interest in Germany . . . this ought to lead the way to solve Europe's most acute problems."

It is pointed out, by the way, that the government of Hitler believes that the coming negotiations, like the two-sided Anglo-French talks, will more quickly show a positive, practical result than a conference on a larger scale. It is obvious that the solution of one vital problem surely will solve, psychologically, at any rate, many other problems of a more intricate and difficult nature.

French officials seem to be hopeful also. The fact that the way now is open for discussion on this subject and on the French plan for an eastern European economic pact—as well as a guarantee of the independence of Austria—would seem to constitute a happy augury for a better understanding among the nations of Europe.

WALLED-IN BUSINESS

MR. WALTER ELLIOT, BRITAIN'S Minister of Agriculture, told a Shrewsbury audience last night that there would be no early general election. These were the reasons he gave: "We are not going to run away from our job." He intimated that the party to which he belongs was put in office to run the country's business—that it intended to continue that task.

Britain's Minister of Agriculture is a man of broad vision, especially as far as it concerns Britain's agriculture. He is behind the demand that the Dominions should control their exports to the British market of their primary products. His imperialism—and who is there to gainsay his contention?—is confined to the "right little id." If one could read his mind, it would be simple to say that, like Mr. Bonar Law, Britain first, and the rest of the empire

second. Our Canadian Prime Minister is solidly behind the dignity of Canada first.

The only trouble about this economic fetish is that it is a bulwark behind which vested interests chuckle—a tariff wall of stout bricks over which the competition which nations want to exchange with nations can not scale. So that new business, which would give employment to the millions of unemployed, is difficult to launch.

MR. MCGEER'S MOTION

ALTHOUGH THE BANKING SYSTEM of the country is legally within the exclusive jurisdiction of Parliament at Ottawa, the subject so intimately affects every Canadian interest that its discussion in the provincial Legislature would be altogether pertinent. Mr. G. G. McGee, M.P.P., has filed with the Speaker of the House a motion asking the members to condemn the privately-owned Bank of Canada as "dangerous to national integrity, a menace to the stability of the country's internal economy and opposed to the best interest of all Canadian citizens."

In the recent debate on the Speech from the Throne at Ottawa, Mr. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader, came out strongly for public control of the national currency and credit, and insisted that without this it was useless for the Prime Minister to talk about planned economy. He pointed out that with the establishment of the central bank the country's securities and control of the country's currency had been alienated from Parliament and handed over to a private corporation. He might have gone farther and said that this private corporation was linked up with another one outside of Canada. While it is true the question for the moment has been settled, since the Bank of Canada is an accomplished fact, there can be little doubt that the next Parliament will be asked to alter the terms and conditions of its control and operation.

SHOULD BE RESTRICTED

THE IDEA THAT CONVENTIONS agreed upon by a group of nations outside Canada should be deemed to set aside the powers given to the provinces under the British North America Act seems so extreme that the provincial authorities should demand that it be challenged in the courts. Otherwise it will be possible for the Dominion to strip the provinces of their prerogatives by the simple process of having conventions agreed to abroad at which, by the way, there are no provincial representatives. This is a dangerous attack upon provincial rights, irrespective of the merits of the conventions themselves, and in the end it would destroy the Canadian confederation.

For some years there has been a marked tendency at Ottawa in the direction of centralization of power and administration at the expense of the provinces in a measure undreamed of by the framers of the country's constitution. The federal government has been encroaching upon the provincial domain, particularly in the field of taxation, thereby restricting the sources of provincial revenue. This situation is becoming intolerable, and it is imperative that it should be cleared up once and for all at the next constitutional conference. The Dominion government is the creature, not the creator, of the provinces; and it never was intended by those who brought it into existence that it should have jurisdiction in provincial affairs.

GENEVA CONVENTIONS

FIVE OF THE CONVENTIONS AGREED to by the members of the League of Nations at Geneva have been submitted for approval to the Canadian Parliament by the federal government. There is another which positively will not be proposed for ratification by Mr. Bennett or any of his ministers. This is the declaration that unemployment is a national problem which should be dealt with on that basis. Nearly five years ago, when he was leading the opposition, the present Prime Minister insisted that unemployment should be regarded as a national emergency, and promised that if he were elected he would dispose of it in that aspect in a few days. Now he insists that it is primarily a matter for the provinces and municipalities, which, of course, is an admission that he has been unable to settle it. Hence, while the federal government failed to live up to any of its important pledges and could not be re-elected, still, Mr. Connell did not rub it in. With him the trouble went much deeper and was more important than the destiny of the government. The trouble was the economic system itself—a system which assumed that the more wealth we exported from the provinces while we went short here, the richer we should be.

The basic fact, said Mr. Connell, was that Industry could not pay the cost of keeping our people at work or maintaining prosperity. It could not do so and still make a profit. And without a profit it could not operate. The only alternative was socialism. Again you did not have to agree to see that this question lay behind all the deliberations of this House, all the difficulties of the go-

vernment, all the admissions that he has been unable to settle it. Hence, while the federal government is all for the adoption of Geneva conventions under which it seeks to invade the rights of the provinces, it takes care to leave out the one which would relieve the provinces and municipalities of any measure of responsibility for the solution of the unemployment problem.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

TOO LATE
The Edmonton Bulletin

From Seattle comes the interesting news that 60,000 tons of Argentine corn are being landed at that port for use as stock and poultry feed in the western states, left short of feed by last summer's drought. Three cargoes have already arrived and two more are on the way. Energetic action by our governments and a special concession in freight rates should have made that market available to Alberta farmers in a degree large enough to be important. But energetic action was not discoverable on the part of our governments last fall, when the feed shortage in the states became apparent.

ONLY PALLIATIVES
The Ottawa Citizen

It has been abundantly demonstrated in other countries—where there are such palliatives as old age pensions, unemployment insurance, minimum wage, control of hours of labor and regulation of trade and industry, from the Nazi dictatorship of Germany to the NRA of U.S.A.—that an effective readjustment will never be made until national sovereignty over the national credit is put into practice. Canada may be the nation to lead the way.

A THOUGHT

For though thou wast thou with nire, and take much soap, yet thine inequality is marked before me, with the Lord God—Isaiah, 53: 4.

Well does Heaven take care that no man deserves happiness by crime—Albert.

Across the Bay

Mr. Connell agrees in a new and milder fashion—but the New Britons, knowing that a new man is behind the initiative—Mr. Planta covers a wide area—Mr. Uphill turns communist—and Mr. Winch is certainly upper.

BY BRUCE HUTCHISON

NEW STYLE
IN THE good old days, when we had no real problems to get round up over, it was the custom of opposition leaders in this Legislature to round us up, to make these stone buildings fairly rock, to impale the quivering noses of the government and knock them aloft.

The present opposition leader, a student, thinker and a humanitarian, goes in another way entirely. He did not attempt no oration. He did not round the boys up. But the House listened with unbroken attention, for here, obviously, was a man who had studied, a man who showed in his bearing, rather stoic face that he had seen suffering and dealt with the raw stuff of humanity in his time, a man who had come to his socialist cause not through emotion or politics, but through deep conviction.

One didn't have to agree with the speech to see and appreciate the quality of the man behind it. He was mild, conversational, informal, as usual, but there was a new note of protest, a growing impatience with conditions that was not so noticeable a year ago. "These people, the unemployed," he cried, "are human beings." And the House knew that this was the simple, human cry of a large part of our people.

MR. MICAWBER
THERE WAS also a lighter side to his unaffected talk. He attached no barbs to his little thrusts, but they were home just the same. And there was a certain literary flavor about them as when he picked up a copy of Dickens' "David Copperfield" and read a letter from Mr. Micawber to young David, to illustrate the present position of Mr. Planta.

Mr. Micawber wrote that he was having "some temporary embarrassments of a pecuniary nature, but I have now the immediate prospect of something turning up which I trust will enable me to provide for myself and for you."

Ton, said Mr. Connell, Mr. Planta was just waiting. Measurably, for work and wages to turn up. It was all very well for the government to reply that its election promises were predicated on certain action at Ottawa, but this was like a man promising to supply the world with cheese on the assumption that the moon was made of it and could be brought down to earth. Such an assumption was no wiser, Mr. Connell thought, than the old assumption that Mr. Bennett or Mr. King would loan this province huge sums for work and wages without interest.

IT'S THE SYSTEM

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Just Folks
by Edgar Guest

THE STATUS
They served the man in stone
And placed him in a park
Where the trees were tall and green
In winter time the snow
Gathers upon his head
And all the cold winds blow.
The man who was a god
When status was in place
Men think their duty done.
When life shall end for me
And I from earth depart
I'll leave my heart to you
In one devoted heart.
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overnment, all the present convulsions of Canadian politics.

LARGE ISSUES

MR. PLANTA of Peace River followed—Mr. Planta who looks like the baby of the House but isn't nearly as young and unsober-faced as he looks. Whether Mr. Planta is a Liberal, a Conservative or an Independent by party nomenclature, he has brought home from Russia, isn't in the C.C.F., one can't imagine except that his traditional position of independence has enabled him to keep on good terms with governments for the last fifteen years, which is always useful. What Mr. Uphill was preaching to the House, whether he knew it or not, was red communism of the Russian model. He wanted us to adopt the system in totto right away and to this end proposed that we all pack up and go to Russia and see how it works.

Mr. Uphill has a talent for getting around and saying things. He told the House about them in detail and his vocabulary about the girls could not hide some penetrating observations of working conditions under communism as compared with the situation here. His description of conditions in Fermie, hard-hit of any B.C. city, was also effective. But on the whole the impression Tom seemed to be laboring, after his Russian visit, under a new sense of sober responsibility. Or perhaps, as he said, it was just a cold in his head.

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SOUND MONEY

MR. PLANTA is a sound money man. He warned the House solemnly that we must not let the British Investor think that we break our contracts—another reference, clearly, to Mr. McGee. We must remember, he said, that whatever British Columbia does about such things will be regarded equally as the action of Canada as a whole.

With maps and figures Mr. Planta showed the results of much thought on the longer issues of empire, British Columbia, he said, held the destiny of the empire in the North Pacific, in the very heart of possible world war. In the very path of any future conflict in this arena and must accept the responsibilities involved. He was evidently opposed to the Alaska Highway, though he didn't make that very clear, because it would involve us directly in the military adventures of the United States. If we gave the United States a military road to Alaska we might as well sign a military pact with that country, but as part of the bargain we might well ask for most of the Alaskan Panhandle.

It was to the hinterland rather than the big cities that Mr. Planta looked for the salvation of Canada. We should decentralize, he said, build up our small country towns, develop more ports, finish the roads needed by our own people. We should build up a vigorous Canadian consciousness.

Finally we should allow beer and wine into high-class eating places, with lively music until our hotel

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST
By ALFRED MECHANAS

THE OLD HOUSE
The old, old house is decent still,
For when I enter there
I find the old firewood burned the mill
And worn the winding state.
Loved fence from its windows smelt,
Loved hams in its heating fire loads,
And there at dusk a sleepy child
With bowed head, said prayer.
With love for his home he dwelt,
No doubt creeps in to vex my mind,
My fear is ever felt.
And still its cover it will keep
From the high roof tree,
Will still stand strong and deep,
For others yet to be.

became centres of culture and tradition like the Inns of Old England—a plan over which Mr. Planta was so loath to let the House become visibly thirsty before Mr. Uphill could get fairly started in his speech

FROM RUSSIA

MR. UPHILL could talk of little but his trip to Russia, of which the public has heard already. Just why Mr. Uphill, with the views he has brought home from Russia, isn't in the C.C.F., one can't imagine except that his traditional position of independence has enabled him to keep on good terms with governments for the last fifteen years, which is always useful. What Mr. Uphill was preaching to the House, whether he knew it or not, was red communism of the Russian model. He wanted us to adopt the system in totto right away and to this end proposed that we all pack up and go to Russia and see how it works.

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WILL ADDRESS WOMEN'S CLUB

Mrs. F. P. BURDEN
who will address the next meeting of the Women's Canadian Club to be held on Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the Empress Hotel. Her subject will be "The Canadian Women's Club of London" information for which she gathered from the members of the club during the year she was in England while her husband was agent-general for British Columbia.

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Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES
FEBRUARY 15, 1910
(From The Times File)

Hon. C. P. Cornwell, who was Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia from 1881 to 1886, and who during the course of a long residence in the province, took a prominent part in political and commercial life of the country, passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning.

Oak Bay is aiming at two things just at present. One is to secure plenty of pure water and the other is to build a church. The Americans of the district for a long time have felt that they needed a new church. A quiet canvas has been going on among the people of Oak Bay and the result is that most are in favor of it.

The horse drivers this morning had a great deal to worry about. The heavy frost from night to morning has made the roads very slippery, and in many cases the horses found it quite impossible to keep their footing and some narrow escapes from serious injury were reported. A great deal of criticism was heard this morning on wood floors.

Last evening the resignation of D. D. England, parks superintendent, was received by the City Council and action is to be taken to take effect on March 1.

There is no limit of baseball here say there will be a Victoria nine in the field this summer, but who will handle the team is at present not decided.

Four-mounted schooner Manila arrived here last night and discharged a cargo of 200 tons of coal at Porters Landing.

Meats, Provisions, Delicatessen

SATURDAY VALUES—CAKE AND CARRY</



RHEUMATISM AND NEURALGIA PAINS OVERCOME

What would you give to forget your pains and aches? To be able to walk and work and play without the rheumatic pains shooting through you? To be able to sleep comfortably all night and get up in the morning ready and smiling to meet another happy day? Then read this: "I had been suffering from Rheumatism and nerve exhaustion . . . I was also distracted and hammered with increasing pain of Neuralgia in my face, causing me to be very restless, sleepless, and 'fed-up', until I was advised to try Phosferine daily. The pain ceased and I felt my nerves wonderfully benefited. I feel a new man and owe it to Phosferine that I withstand the usual winter chills, Rheumatism and Sciatica, etc."

W. WESTON

BANISH RHEUMATISM—REINFORCE NERVES

with a few drops, each day, of

PHOSFERINE

THE GREAT BRITISH TONIC FOR

Nervous Debility	Nervousness	Inomnia
Indigestion	Fatigue	Anemia
Rheumatism	Neuralgia	Neuritis
Retarded Convalescence	Grippe	Loss of Appetite

At Your Drug Store—in Liquid and Tablet Form

3 sizes—50c-\$1.20-\$1.90—The larger sizes are more economical.

PLAN TO AID INCURABLES

**Rotarian From Trail Outlines
to Local Clubmen Proposal
For Mill Bay Annex**

The proposal that the Rotary club of British Columbia unite to erect a home for incurably crippled children, adjacent to the Queen Alexandra Sanatorium, at Mill Bay, was outlined to members of the local Rotary Club at luncheon yesterday at the Empire Hotel by Ralph W. Diamond of Trail. The idea was first suggested by the Trail club.

The proposed home for crippled children would cost approximately \$25,000. Mr. Diamond reported, and would have accommodation for about twenty children. It would be erected adjacent to the Sanatorium at Mill Bay, for reasons of economy, he said. The government had been approached and remained favorably inclined towards the scheme, Mr. Diamond reported.

There were 800 Rotarians in British Columbia, and the clubs of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster had about 50 per cent of the membership, Mr. Diamond said. It was imperative that these clubs sanction the proposal and a committee will be formed from these three cities to go into the scheme.

CLOUDS FAVORABLE

The Trail club was willing to put

GASTRIC PAINS gone

Now Eats Anything



Afraid of your food?
W. J. B. Fordbridge, England, was
for 30 years. "I used
to go to work in misery," he writes.

"After taking MacLean Brand Stomach Powder for 2 or 3 days the pain and discomfort disappeared. I am now able to eat anything." MacLean Brand Stomach Powder is made according to the formula of the Head Stomach Specialist of a famous London, England, Hospital. It has enjoyed remarkable success in treating indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis, colic, flatulence, heartburn and even deep-seated severe cases of stomach trouble. It will bring you relief. Ask your druggist for the genuine—marked with the signature, "MacLean". In bottles, 75c (also in tablets) never sold lower.

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BRAND
Stomach Powder**

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MACLEAN LTD., THE BIG ALASKA,
102 Astoria Ave., Victoria.

BUCKLEY'S

MAKES PLEA FOR FERNIE

Thomas Uphill, Labor Member, Also Wants House to Go to Russia

After a fervent appeal for special government assistance for the town of Fernie, which he described as "in dire need," Thomas Uphill, Labor, Fernie, yesterday entertained the House to a description of his recent visit to Russia, and concluded by advocating financial reform by the printing of internal currency on an inflationary basis.

Mr. Uphill painted a dolorous picture of conditions in Fernie. He asked if he could have the assurance of the Premier to wire to the people that something would be done, and was told by the Premier to get in touch with the Minister of Labor about the matter. The Premier added that the undersigned people had received better treatment than other municipalities because of its difficulties.

With reference to the plea of W. J. Amelstine, Atlin, for roads in the north of the province, Mr. Uphill said there was plenty of need for more roads in the south as well. British Columbians had to travel through the U.S. to get to the east by motor.

WANTS INTERNAL CURRENCY

He commented on Mayor McDear's

interest reduction plan in Vancouver, but did not see them as a solution to financial difficulties of municipalities. He produced a rough note and five-round note which he said he had "snatched" out of Russia, and said Canada should print that kind of money, internal currency, to finance projects.

"We saw pretty-shabby people in Russia. I saw rough food and overcrowded housing conditions. I admit that. But I have seen worse in other parts of the world," he said.

Mr. Uphill then made his promised challenge to the speaker to adjourn the House for five months, and in that time to come to a conclusion how things were done. When they returned a "paradise on earth" would be created in British Columbia, and it would soon have 10,000,000 people.

The Labor member concluded by epitomizing his view in the following words:

"We go there, because we have got too much. The more we produce the greater our difficulties. Let us try a new system."

MANY CHICKENS BLOOD-TESTED

Close to 70,000 British Columbia chickens have been blood-tested to conform with new federal regulations requiring the tests for birds that are to be shipped in inter-provincial trade, according to R. W. Savitz, poultry expert of the Federal Department of Agriculture, who is here to-day.

Local federal and provincial authorities combined to carry out the tests without expense to the poultrymen.

This action followed protests of the poultrymen of the cost of the tests. In order to protect the prairie market for the British Columbia shippers, the government tests were arranged.

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COMMITTEES OF HOUSE CHOSEN

Legislature Names Groups to Consider Proposals For Session

With no indicated change of chairmen the Legislature adopted its list of standing committees yesterday afternoon on motion of A. M. Carson, R. G. Pooley, chairman of the striking committee. The first named was subsequently chosen as chairman.

Following is the list:

Private Bills—A. M. Manson, L. A. Hanna, Allan Harris, Byron Johnson, G. S. McDonald, R. Wilkinson, G. S. Winsor, J. Price, Mrs. Steeves, R. H. Bruhn.

Public accounts—Dr. W. H. Sutherland, W. J. Amelstine, R. H. Burns, Allen Harris, Byron Johnson, E. T. Kenney, T. King, G. O. McGeer, G. S. Winsor, N. E. Winch, H. Ancombe and R. W. Bruhn.

Printing—Mrs. H. D. Smith, S. J. Johnson, G. Murray, C. H. Tupper, J. Price, C. Plants.

Mining—D. MacPherson, W. J. Amelstine, R. H. Burns, S. Leary, A. M. Manson, G. Murray, T. King, D. M. MacKay, R. Wilkinson, Robert Connell, E. E. Winch, R. H. Pooley and T. Uphill.

Agriculture—E. D. Barrow, R. H. Carson, J. J. Gillis, G. Murray, A. McDonald, D. M. MacKay, D. Mc-

Pherson, F. Putman, D. Strachan, C. Tupper, R. B. Swallow, C. Plants, H. Savage.

Municipal—N. Whittaker, R. H. Carson, L. A. Hanna, S. S. McKeon, Mrs. Smith, G. S. Winsor, Miss Gossage, R. C. Conner, R. Anderson, F. Leroy, R. Carson, A. McDonald, G. S. McKeon, D. Strachan, N. Whittaker, R. B. Swallow, R. H. Bruhn.

Fisheries—J. J. Gillis, R. D. Barrow, L. A. Hanna, E. T. Kenney, S. S. McKeon, R. B. Swallow, E. E. Winch, H. Savage, R. H. Pooley.

Bridle Path Plan Heard

Construction of a bridle path in Ward Three, Saanich, for use of members of the Victoria Riding Academy, will be considered by the municipal engineer, an official of the academy and the contractor who proposes to do the work, the Saanich Council decided yesterday evening.

The committee on public proposition under which the action is proposed to spend \$500 on a path along Pear Street to Cedar Hill Road, and thence to Mount Douglas Park.

This, it was felt, would be satisfactory to the council if the work to be done by the outside contractor is approved by the engineer.

Y.M.C.A. SPEAKERS' CLUB

The Y.M.C.A. Speakers' Club will be the guests next Wednesday evening of P. B. Fowler, at his residence at Ten Mile Point.

Two speakers were heard at Wed-

nesday evening's session of the city.

J. A. Walford gave an interesting re-

view of the St. Lawrence Waterway

He cashed a cheque IN MID-OCEAN

"There have been times," said Captain John L. Whittlesey, "when I have found myself in the middle of many a stormy gale, and when the nearest land is miles away."

"It is to meet such a situation that I always keep travellers' cheques from Imperial Bank of Canada. These cheques are honored everywhere—and they obviate the need of carrying large sums of currency."

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

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Capital and Reserve \$15,000,000

Victoria Branch J. H. D. Benson, Manager

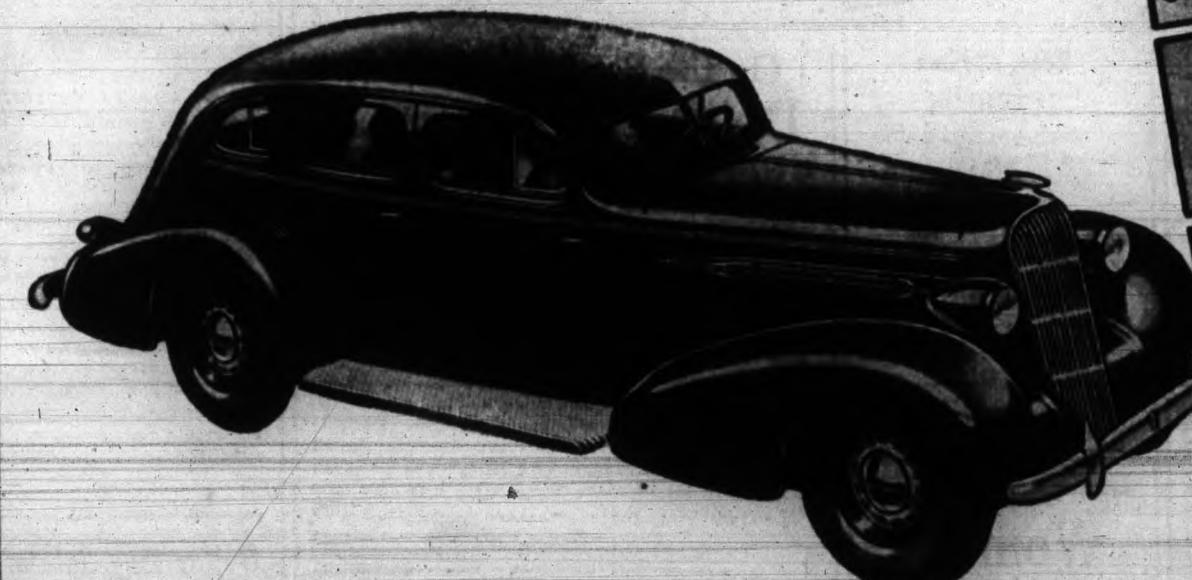
responses to a challenge from the Junior Chamber of Commerce,

W. T. Cook held the chair for the meeting.

Dr. T. W. A. Gray and Joseph Ross were yesterday appointed a committee to organize a debating team in cost \$700.

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"The CAR THAT HAS EVERYTHING"



A 90 HORSEPOWER SIX . . . A 100 HORSEPOWER STRAIGHT EIGHT

LAST YEAR, Oldsmobile scored a double triumph! Distinctive airstream design installed it as the style leader of automobiles. High value gave it one of the largest sales increases in the industry.

Now Oldsmobile repeats, with a 90-horsepower, All-Feature Six, and a 100-horsepower Straight Eight . . . more beautiful than any previous model . . . more brilliant in performance . . . more lavish in improvements.

Establishing the value measure for 1935, Oldsmobile offers, first of all, solid steel, "Turret-Top" bodies by Fisher. This revolutionary type of construction serves a dual purpose: (1) it puts over your head a roof of seamless drawn steel, braced with steel; (2) it gives smoother, more graceful appearance to closed models.

Come to the showrooms and see the new models. Look once more to Oldsmobile as exemplifying the advanced trend in motor cars. Check carefully what you pay against what you get . . . for Oldsmobile has scored again!

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Dollar Day Bargains
in
HANDBAGS
Each. \$1.00 and \$1.59
at Smart Handbags in envelope style with zipper compartment, purse and mirror. Exceptional value at these low prices! Choice of black, brown, navy, green and grey!
—Handbags, Main Floor

**Chiffon and Semi-service Weight****SILK HOSE**

Regular to \$1.00.
Per Pair 69¢
First quality, Full-fashioned Hose, shown in all fashionable shades including gunmetal, smokemist, neutral grey, Nu Dawn, Jaffa brown, vanity, etc. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair..... 69¢

ODDMENTS IN**Chiffon Silk Hose**

To Clear,
Per Pair 59¢
Several broken lines to clear—and quite a good assortment of shades and sizes.
—Hosiery, Main Floor

Dollar Day Clearance in the Whitewear Department

Cotton Dresses in short-sleeved styles, with organdie or pique trimming. Sizes 14 to 44. Each \$1.00
Princess Slips—clearing a few odd lines and colors, each. 35¢
Clearing a few Flannelette Nightgowns, slightly shop soiled. Each

—Whitewear, First Floor

170 Only

Women's Capeskin Gloves

Per Pair \$1.00
Four-button Slip-ons in brown, black or grey. Good sturdy Gloves for general wear. Per pair \$1.00
—Gloves, Main Floor

600 Pairs of Novelty Chamoisette Gloves

Per Pair 39¢
Smart Slip-on Gloves with fancy scroll-stitch and applique cuff designs. In the popular new spring shades. Per pair 39¢
—Gloves, Main Floor

Children's Wool Gloves

Values to 50¢.
Per pair 50¢
Final clearance of these Wool Gloves at this tempting low price. All pure wool. Gauntlet and knit-wrist styles.
—Gloves, Main Floor

Two Wool Bargains FOR DOLLAR DAY


PATON & BALDWIN'S "STERLING" FINGERING YARN—A 4-ply, soft, medium-weight Wool that will meet all your needs for general knitting purposes. A good range of shades and Heather mixtures. Special per lb. 1-lb. skein 10¢
MONARCH "BRUSH" WOOL—Just the thing for children's outdoor garments. Shown in the following shades only—everglade, powder blue, banana, camel and Cardinal. Special. 1-lb. ball 10¢
—Needlework, First Floor

Needlework Bargains**FOR DOLLAR DAY**

PILLOW SLIPS—Hemstitched, ready for crochet and stamped in attractive designs for embroidery. Per pair \$1.00
OYSTER LINENS, WHITE COTTON AND ORGANZIE RUNNERS—Size 10x52 inches. Stamped for embroidery in assorted designs. Each. 39¢
—First Floor

A Special Purchase!**Foundation Garments**

Three Styles From Which to choose. Each \$1.98

GORELETTES—Of fancy peach cotton with shaped top of same material; featuring deep inner belt that is well boned. Price, each \$1.98

TWO-WAY STRETCH GIRDLES—Extra long, boneless, with knit-fit waistline and four flat hose supporters. Price, each \$1.98

SIDE-HOOK GIRDLES—Of fancy peach cotton and silk elastic. \$1.98
Medium length and lightly boned. Price, each.....

—Corsets, First Floor

DOLLAR DAY AT SPENCER'S SATURDAY**DOLLAR DAY SALE OF****Plain and Printed Crepe Dresses**

Extraordinary Values for
\$7.95

Included in these smart Printed Crepe Dresses are some border prints—very smartly tailored styles, others in tunie, bolero style and two-piece effects. Trimmed with contrasting crepes, taffeta or organdie. Newest shades to choose from. Sizes 14 to 38.

—Mantles, First Floor

Better-grade Dresses

Values to \$40.75,
for \$10.00

A selection of Dresses of very fine quality crepes and velvets. All fashionable styles. Shown in shades of tile, blue, brown and black. Sizes 14 to 40.

—Mantles, First Floor

Dollar Day Sale of MILLINERY

Smart Hats, including velvet and soft fur felt models. Brimmed types and turbans in a variety of shades and headsizes. To clear
Dollar Day, each \$1.59
A few Cap and Scarf Sets in chenille and brushed wool. To clear, each 79¢

—Millinery, First Floor

**Just 150 Pairs of Women's Shoes**

On Sale
at \$3.00

Smart Shoes—selected from our regular stock and embracing values as high as \$6.00. Short lines in every type of dressy daytime Shoes.

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Roast Chicken**LUNCHEON**

Saturday, 11:30 to 2:30

40¢

—Dining-room, Third Floor

Leatherette Shopping Bags

Each. 50¢

Large-size Shopping Bags with double handles.

—Handbags, Main Floor

Women's Underwear**For Clearance****Dollar Day**

All-wool Vests and Panties, in green, pink or peach. Regular 89¢ a garment. Dollar Day, 2 garments for \$1.00

Five only, Broaded Rayon Kimonos. Regular \$2.95 each, for \$1.00

Crepe de Chine Panties, in white only. Regular 89¢ a pair, 2 for \$1.00

Crepe de Chine Slips, in white or rose; bias cut, lace trimmed. Regular \$1.59 each, for \$1.00

Infants' All-wool Matinee Coats in white, trimmed with pink or blue 50¢
Infants' White Wool Knit Pullover Gowns, pair 50¢
Broaddie Rompers in pastel shades. Sizes 1 and 2. A pair, 50¢

—Babywear, First Floor

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Dollar Day Clearance of CHILDREN'S WEAR

Special values in Children's Pullover and Coat Sweaters in an assortment of styles and colors. Sizes 4 to 14 years. Values up to \$2.95. On sale Dollar Day, each \$1.00

A limited number only—Children's Woolen, Jersey Cloth and Corduroy Velvet Dresses. One and two-piece styles. Small sizes only. Values to \$2.50, to clear, each \$1.00

Children's Pleated Skirts in attractive checked materials, buttoned to white broadcloth top. Sizes 2 to 4 years only. Special Dollar Day, each \$1.00

Children's Cosy Kimonos, trimmed with silk cord or satin. Sizes 2 and 4 years only. Dollar Day, each \$1.00

—Children's Wear, First Floor

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—Babywear, First Floor

Dollar Day Bargains in BLANKETS AND BEDDING

PURE WOOL BLANKETS—In blue or gold only. Substandards.

Size 62x84 inches, pair \$4.00

Size 70x90 inches, pair \$5.00

MIXED FEATHER DOWN COMFORTERS—in good sateen covers with contrasting panels. Each \$4.00

WHITE FLANNELETTE SHEETS—With blue or pink borders; double-bed size. Pair \$2.00

GREY FLANNELETTE SHEETS—With blue or pink borders. Single-bed size. Per pair \$1.25

FULLY BLEACHED SHEETS—For three-quarter or double-bed size. Each, for \$1.00

SILK AND WOOL BLANKETS—In soft pastel colorings with satin-bound ends. Each \$3.00

UNBLEACHED SHEETS—For hard wear. Three-quarter and double-bed size, each, for \$1.00

BLEACHED PILLOW CASES, at 3 for \$1.00

TWO-Piece CHAIR CUSHION SETS—Seat and back-rest; 3 sets for \$1.00

UNBLEACHED PILLOW CASES, at 7 for \$1.00

BLEACHED PILLOW CASES, at 6 for \$1.00

EXTRA FINE HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES, at 3 for \$1.00

PURE LINEN HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES, at 2 for \$1.00

COLORED EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES, at 3 for \$1.00

QUILTED MATTRESS OR TABLE PROTECTORS—Size 54x76 ins., each, \$2.00

LOOSE COVERS—For mattresses. All sizes \$1.00

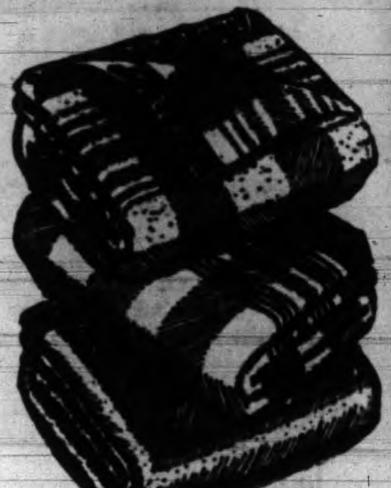
LOOSE COVERS—Of floral ticking, for bed pillows; 3 for \$1.00

TWO SILK SPECIALS

ANGEL SKIN SILK—44 inches wide, a fine grade fabric in biscuit and pink shades only. 2 yards \$1.00

NEW FIGURED SILKS—36 inches wide. Newest Fancy Silks in light colorings for spring and summer. Dollar Day, 1½ yards \$1.00

—Silks, Main Floor



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LINENS

On Sale at . . . \$1.00

Oyster Linen Tea or Bridge Sets, embroidered in colors. Cloth 36x36 inches, with 4 napkins. Per set \$1.00
White Damask Cloths with colored borders. Size 32x32 inches. At 2 for \$1.00
Pure Linen Cloths in checkerboard design. Size 32x32 inches. Each \$1.00
Oyster Linen Cloths, plain or with colored borders. Size 32x32 inches. Each \$1.00
Eru Flat Lace Cloths, size 30x36 inches. 2 for \$1.00
Pancy Colored Jap Cloths, 34x34 inches, at 3 for \$1.00
Pancy Colored Jap Cloths, 36x36 inches, at 2 for \$1.00
Eru and Colored Border Runners, 15x45 inches. 2 for \$1.00
Napkins to match. 10 for \$1.00
Grass Linen Doilies, 12x18 inches. 3 for \$1.00

—Linens, Main Floor

TOWELS

On Sale at \$1.00

White Huck Towels with colored borders, 6 for \$1.00
White Linen Huck Towels, 5 for \$1.00
White Terry Towels with colored borders; also Colored-stripe Towels at 4, 3, and 2 for \$1.00
Colored border Tea Towels, 7 for \$1.00
Pure Linen Glass Towels, 5 for \$1.00
23-inch plain Linen Tea Toweling, 3½ yards, \$1.00
Pure Linen Crash Roller Toweling, 7 yards \$1.00

—Towels, Main Floor

Dollar Day Sale of Colored Viyella Flannels

Regular \$1.35
a Yard, for \$1.00

31-in. Unshrinkable Viyella Flannel, in shades of grey, brown, fawn, drab, mauve, yellow, pink, green, blue, navy and red.

Values \$1.00 a Yard
for \$1.00

About 50 yards only.

Heavy and medium-weight cloth in fancy designs.

—Dress Goods, Main Floor



Floral Voiles in small and large designs. 7 yds. \$1.00
Fancy Floral and Pique Voiles, also Batistes. On sale at 3½ yards for \$1.00
White Cotton Broadcloth, 6 yards \$1.00
Mill ends of Unbleached Cotton, 6 yards for \$1.00
Mill ends of Linene in a nice assortment of plain colors, 4 yards for \$1.00
Mill ends of Striped Flannelettes in a good assortment of colors. All useful length, 5 yards \$1.00
Mill ends of Unbleached Circular Pillow Cotton, 5 yards for \$1.00

—Silks, Main Floor

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—Silks, Main Floor

TABLE OILCLOTH SQUARES

Men's Pyjamas**Dollar Day Specials**

Flannelette Pyjamas, English "Coatex" brand; unshrinkable; shown in assorted stripe patterns and pleasing colors. Regular price \$3.50 a suit, for **\$2.95**

Men's "Yama" Flannelette Pyjamas, with kite front, and in assorted striped patterns. All sizes. Regular \$1.95 a suit, for **\$1.60**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

DOLLAR DAY

AT SPENCER'S SATURDAY



1,000 Men's Shirts

Priced for a Big Day's Selling
Dollar Day

**\$1.00 and \$1.29
EACH**

"Peak" Broadcloth Shirts with collar attached, shown in plain colors. Full cut, and of a durable weave broadcloth. All sizes. Dollar Day, each, **\$1.00**
Or 3 for **\$2.75**

"Cavalier" Broadcloth Shirts, in neat striped patterns. Standard sizes and fast colors. Will not shrink. With collar attached or two separate starched or soft collars. Regular values \$1.95,
for **\$1.20**

Or 3 for **\$2.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

MEN'S UNDERWEAR**DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS**

Athletic Shirts, elastic rib knit, in white. All sizes. Regular 35c. Dollar Day, 3 for **\$1.00**

Broadcloth Shorts; striped patterns or plain shades. All sizes. Regular 35c a pair. Dollar Day, 3 for **\$1.00**

Pure Wool Shirts and Drawers; "Druid" brand, made in England. Medium weight; all sizes. A garment, at **\$1.95**

Moodie's Combinations; pure wool, cream elastic rib, short or long sleeves, ankle length. Size 38 only. Clearing Dollar Day, a suit **\$2.75**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**Spencer's Guaranteed Paints and Varnishes****Dollar Day Specials**

Spencer's Four-hour-dry Floor and Linoleum Varnish; all colors and clear. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Four-hour-dry Interior Enamel; full gloss; all colors. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Four-hour-dry Interior Floor Enamel. Makes old floors and linoleum look like new; also for dapple art work. All colors. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Quick-dry Porch Paint, for outside verandas and steps. Battleship grey. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Interior Flat Wall Paint, for rough or smooth plaster or wallboard. White and ivory. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Interior and Exterior House Paint; all colors. A quart **89c**

Spencer's Interior Full-gloss Varnish, for woodwork and furniture. A quart **75c**

Spencer's Sur-Stick Interior Wall Size, 1-lb. pkg. **25c**

Spencer's Pure Kalsomine—mix with warm or cold water; all colors. 5-lb. pkg. **48c**

—Paints, Lower Main Floor

Dollar Day Specials**IN THE HARDWARE DEPARTMENT**

One Inside Door Set, and one Set of 3½x3½-inch Butts in dull brass or old copper finish, all for, **\$1.00**

Heavy Single-bit Axes with handles. Regular \$1.50, each **\$1.10**

Chopping Hatchets (English made), with handles. At each **89c**

Roller Skates, ball-bearing; adjustable. Pair, **\$1.00**

Pantry Step Stools, special, each **\$1.00**

Oval, Blue Enamel Covered Roasters, regular \$1.40, each **\$1.00**

Kitchen Waste Cans, in ivory, blue or green finish. Each **\$1.00**

Large Galvanized Wash Tubs each **\$1.00**

Aluminum Straight Saucers with cover, 4-quart size. Each **58c**

6-quart Aluminum Straight Saucers with cover. Each **63c**

12-plate Storage Batteries, guaranteed, each, **\$5.95**

Large* Fancy China Jardinières, regular \$1.75, for each **\$1.00**

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

Dollar Day Specials in the Music Department

RADIOCA 22 and Speaker **\$12.50**

RADIOCA 44 and Speaker **\$19.75**

PHILCO MARTEL RADIO **\$22.50**

VICTOR ORTHOPHONIC, Console Model, Cash Price **\$14.75**

—Music, Lower Main Floor

Men's Tweed Caps

Values to **\$2.50**, **\$1.25** for

Caps in several styles and weights, in green, brown and fawn tweed mixtures. They have rubber visors, and are well finished.

—Caps, Main Floor

DOLLAR DAY VALUES IN THE CRETONNE DEPT.

500 yards of Cretonne, 36 inches wide. English and Canadian makes. Regular selling price, yard, 30c, **4** yds. **\$1.00**

400 yards of Cretonne, 31 inches wide. English and French block print effects. Regular a yard to 90c, **2** yds. **\$1.00**

400 yards Cretonne and Printed Linens, 31 inches wide. These are from our regular lines. Values to \$1.00 a yard for **\$1.00**

—Draperies, Second Floor

Dollar Day

Offerings on the Bargain Highway

WOMEN'S PUR-TRIMMED COATS — Large size only. Values to **\$17.95** for **\$7.95**

WOMEN'S AFTERNOON DRESSES — In smart styles; shades of brown, navy, wine and black. Regular \$1.50, each **\$1.50**

WOMEN'S RAINCOATS — Plain and sand shapes in all-over patterns. Sizes 12 to 16. Values to **\$6.00** for **\$1.00**

SELE HOSE — All wanted shades. Reinforced 2 pairs **\$1.00**

HOSE AND STOCKS **\$1.00**

RAYON BLOOMERS — Pink, peach, Nile and white. Small, medium and large sizes **\$1.00**

RAYON VESTS — Peach, pink, Nile, green and white **3 for \$1.00**

MEN'S OVERALL PANTS — Blue denim; 40 pairs. Sizes 28 to 44. Regular **\$1.00**

BOY'S WOOL GOLF HOSE — Plain shades with fancy tops. Sizes 7 to 7½. Regular 40c pair, at **4 pairs \$1.00**

MEN'S DOMETTE WORK SHIRTS — 50 only; with collar and pocket. Assorted shades. Sizes 14½ to 17. Regular **2 for \$1.00**

40 MEN'S SWEATER COATS — With collar and two pockets. Rib stitch knit. Black only. Regular \$1.50, each **\$1.00**

MEN'S TWEED SUITS — 50 only; single and double-breasted styles. Dark shades in plain or checked patterns. Sizes 32 to 40. Regular \$15.00, each **\$11.50**

MEN'S TWO-PART SUITS — 50 only; tailored from mixed tweeds, brown, and grey. Single-breasted style. Each with two pair of pants. Sizes 32 to 44 **\$13.95**

MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS — Coated from our better grade qualities. Blue, grey and brown shades. Sizes 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42. Regular \$12.50 value, each **\$7.90**

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Novelty boxes of Stationery, Dollar Day, 2 for **\$1.00**

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—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

100 Pairs of

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Values as high as **59c**
Dollar Day, 4 pair

These Curtains are 2½ yards long, of good grade serin, with various colored ruffles. Some with separate valance. A manufacturer's clearance of odd lengths.

—Draperies, Second Floor

A Dollar Day Bargain for Men

35

Overcoats

Values to **\$25.00**, for

\$13.95



This special offering of Overcoats represents the balance of our fall and winter stock—making this a wonderful opportunity to get a real quality Coat at a bargain price. A choice of heavy, medium and light weights.

HEAVY COATINGS AND MELTONS

All latest models; slip-on, new guards, half belters and polos. Greys, fawns, fancy weaves.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

30 Pairs of Men's Wool Tweed Pants

Medium or dark shades and neatly tailored styles. Regular **\$1.00**
values \$2.50 a pair, for

20 Pairs of Men's Plus Fours

Plus Fours of all-wool tweeds. Very smart and well tailored. **\$1.00**
Regular values to \$5.00, for

**DRUG SUNDRIES AND TOILETRIES****MONEY-SAVING ITEMS FOR DOLLAR DAY**

Frothless Hand and Face Lotion, 16 oz. size, 3 for **48c**

Overbridge's Long Tonic, 32 oz. size, 3 for **24c**

Men's Hair Dressing, 16 oz. size, for **48c**

Hop Iron and Wine, Dr. Howard's, 6 oz. size **52c**

Solidite Powders, best full strength, 2 boxes for **25c**

Krunchen Soaps, giant size, with trial package **60c**

Petroleum, heavy fluid, 16 oz. 3 bottles for **21.00**

Male Extract and Calve Liver Oil, 2-16. jars **72c**

Cod Liver Oil, finest Norwegian, 16 oz. **48c**

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Hollywood Water, large bottle, for **20c**

Swanson, 20c size **20c**

Brillantine, whitened, English make, 6 oz. size, tin **26c**

Williams' Liquid Shaving Soap, 16 oz. bottle **25c**

Gay Purse 6142 Face Powder, 3 trial size creams, all for **50c**

Men's Dentifrice and Mouthwash, 3 weeks' supply **20c**

Aspirin, Papers, 100 tablets in bottle **60c**

Toilet Soaps, bundle of 4 bars, 61½ value **21.00**

Toilet Soaps, 16 oz. cases, 4 for 25c

Dr. West's Tooth Brush and Case of Tooth Paste for **25c**

Whalebone Hair Brushes; satinwood, rosewood, and stained backs; each **25c**

Absorbent Cotton, finest 60 grade, lb. **42c**

Perfume, an assortment of popular odors, per oz. **21.00**

Hot Water Bottles, all in special prices, \$1.25, \$1.15, \$90c, 75c and **25c**

Sox, 2 for **25c**

Melba "Lov Me" Bath Powder, 16 oz. tins **75c**

Italian Linen, with holder, now in stock **25c**

Face Powder, an assortment of values to \$1.00. Your choice. **25c**

—Furniture, Second Floor

100 Pairs of Men's Khaki Pants

Dollar Day, A pair



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Heublein Orange Marmalade	40¢
4 oz. tin	25¢
Canada Free Maple Syrup	55¢
37-oz. tin	25¢
Butter, Fresh Creamery, lb.	25¢
2 lbs.	50¢
2 lbs. Tomatoes, 2 tin Aylmer Corn,	75¢
2 lbs. Mac's Best Peas, 2 tin Beans,	75¢
all for	25¢
Dark Honey, 4 oz. tin	40¢
Oyakon, large pkt.	10¢
Mild Cheese, per lb.	17¢
Shelled Walnuts, per lb.	25¢
Royal Household Flour, 40 lb.	\$1.25
Ogilvie's Wheatberries, 4 lb.	25¢
Baked Beans, large tin	25¢
B.C.A. Meats, 4-lb. tin	50¢
Ogilvie's Edible Beans, 4 lb. sack	17¢
	40¢
FREE DEMONSTRATION OF BLUE RIBBON TEA AND COFFEE	
Blue Ribbon Tea, per lb.	42¢
Blue Ribbon Coffee, per lb.	35¢

FRUIT DEPARTMENT

Imperial Valley Grapefruit	
4 for	25¢
Sunkist Lemons, doz.	15¢
Fresh Blueberries, bunch	10¢
New Dates, 4 lbs.	25¢
Sweet Naval Oranges	doz. 25¢, 25¢ and 45¢
Apples, Sack, per lb.	25¢
Beech's Confection, 4 lb.	25¢
Hard Mixed Candy, per lb.	15¢
MEATS—CASE AND CARRY—MEATS	
Shoulders, Veal, per lb.	12¢
Steering Veal, per lb.	9¢
Beef Heart, per lb.	7¢
Mutton Shoulders, per lb.	12¢
SPECIALS ON MEATS DELIVERED	
Choice Fresh Killed Lamb, lb.	18¢
Lamb and Loin, lb.	25¢
Chops, lb.	20¢
Choice Turkey, lb.	25¢
Choice Chicken, lb.	25¢
Choice Fowl, lb.	25¢
Choice Rabbit, each	25¢
Veal Rump and Loin, lb.	25¢
Calf Liver, per lb.	3¢
Fletcher's Mild Cured Bacon	
Side or back, 1 lb.	35¢
Sauerkraut, Beef Dripping	
2 lbs. for	25¢
FISH DEPARTMENT	
Fresh Oysters, 2 lbs.	15¢
Fresh Sole, cleaned, lb.	10¢
Fresh Whiting, whole fish, lb.	8¢
Fresh Filleted Cod, 2 lbs.	35¢

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New size, tablets 50 cent., Royal 25¢.

FAIRBANKS PLANE PARTY

Associated Press
London, Feb. 15.—Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., United States movie star, and Sylvia, Lady Astley, former dancing star whose husband divorced her, naming Fairbanks corespondent, left London to-day on a world-wide tour. They are to go first through the West Indies.



Gardening Gloves

Workshop Supply, 2nd Floor, 260, and Women's 2nd Fl.

39¢

"THE WAREHOUSE" Ltd.

Social And Club Interests

François and Mrs. T. D. Pottelle entertained at a dinner party yesterday evening at the Hotel Victoria. The affair was held in the Albert and Charlotte private dining room, covers being laid on a table covered with a pale green damask cloth and adorned with a charming centerpiece of golden daffodils, and illuminated tall green tapers in silver candlesticks. Picture place cards and favors lent a fresh and touch of color to the appointments.

Mrs. Gordon Sloan entertained a few friends at the two-hour this afternoon at her home in York Place.

Mrs. E. Montisanober, King George Terrace, will have tea to-morrow for Lo Jolla, California, where she will spend the next two months.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Republic Road, who have been on a trip to California, are expected back in Victoria on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Purdy, and their daughter, Miss Loraine Purdy, of Portia Hallay, Yates Street, are the guests at Mrs. J. G. Hallay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chandler, Poul Bay Road, accompanied by Mrs. Agnes Purdy, son of Vancouver on a trip to California.

Mrs. Colin Macdonell of Vancouver, who is visiting in Victoria as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. King, Hartman, will return to her home on Sunday afternoon to her home on the mainland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Webster, formerly Miss Thelma Stratford, have returned from spending their honeymoon in Washington state and are resident on Yates Street.

Major W. F. Loveland and Mrs. Loveland, Point Street, left Victoria this afternoon on route to New York. From Esquimalt, on March 2, they will sail for San Francisco, via Seattle, to spend a year visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Laurence Hercher entertained at an informal party at her home in Vancouver yesterday evening in connection with the Jolly Dance at Uplands Club.

Mrs. Clementine Sanderson, Miss Dunnigan, Miss Faith Cummings, Miss McQuade, Misses Edward T. Simmonds, Brian Green, Dennis Humphreys and Bill Findlay left on this afternoon's boat for Vancouver, where they will attend the British Columbia Drama Festival.

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Ready-to-wear or Made-to-measure—A Real Knockout Value

Frankly, we couldn't exaggerate if we wanted to! We were surprised—in fact, amazed—that such cloth value, such variety of weave, such high quality tailoring could be got for Hudsonia Suits to sell at so low a price. Hudsonia Suits have won first place in Victoria through sheer merit of tailoring quality on every count.

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Recognizing there are many men who want tailored-to-measure clothes, we make this offer at the same price—the same "Hudsonia" spring patterns—fine tailoring in fact; Hudsonia workmanship through and through. Plan to be here Saturday and get "suited" for spring, 1935, at this attractive price.

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that well-dressed men will be wearing as soon as the spring sun slips from behind winter clouds.

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English and domestic worsteds, pin stripes and checks, herringbones, blue and grey serges, and other popular materials.

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—Men's Suits, Main Floor at "The Bay"



Dollar Day Bargains in "The Bay" Furnishing and Food Sections

Dollar Day Values in Rugs and Draperies

Floor Oilcloth	ideal for bedrooms, spare rooms, etc. Heavy print; smooth 2 square yards \$1
2x2x6 Rag Mats	Well made, in a good range of colors. \$1
Mats that wash well. Each	designs . . . 4 for \$1
Axminster Mats	Size 7x15 inches. Deep rich pile—Mats that size what you want for doorways, etc. \$1
Fillet Nets	Smart patterns in a strong quality cotton 24 inches wide. Dollar Day special at . . . 10 for \$1

Crottoons

250 yards only! In a good range of patterns . . . 10 yards \$1

New Crottoons

30 and 36 inches wide. Splendid cloth . . .

new designs and smart designs . . . 4 yards \$1

45-inch Shadow Cloth

Modern designs. Pleasing colorings in either light or dark effects. For inexpensive slip covers, draw curtains, etc. . . . 3 yards \$1

Reversible Jute Rugs

soft colorings and attractive patterns. at a great saving, 27x34 inches. \$1

Ruffle Curtains

Marquisette in soft color. Daintily trimmed with colored ruffles. Attached valance and tie-backs. Set . . .

45-inch Madras Muslin

Note the width and the low price! Several smart designs. An exceptional value for Dollar Day . . . 4 yards \$1

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Remove your shades at half the usual cost. Our stock is limited to 45-inch width only, but this can be cut for narrower shades . . . 2 yards \$1

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32 inches wide. Stylish patterns in a good weave. Easy to launder . . .

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—Third Floor at "The Bay"

DRUGS

Giant Keweenaw Salts	69c
English Spiced Salts	15c
2 lbs.	1.25
Salt Mopane, large	
Liquid Petroleum, 1-lb. can	3 for \$1
Listerine Antiseptic, large	89c
Pependen-Typhus Paste, large	43c
Aspirin, large	1.29
Montelukasol, large	54c
Hospital Cotton, 1-lb. roll	35c
2 rolls for	\$1
Quinine, large	98c
Baby's Own Soap, 1-lb. bar	3 for 27c
Station Clean, 5-lb. bag	35c
Japon's Lotion, large	89c
Handkerchief Linen, 1-lb. bag	3 for 69c
Magnesia Citrate Effervescent	29c
Pretreatine, small	19c
Wimber's All Purpose Powder, 1-lb. bag	19c
2 cans Applebee Soap, 1-lb. bar	15c
—Street Floor at "The Bay"	

Service Grocery

Three Prices Good for Saturday and Monday—Phone Service Open 8 a.m. Daily	
PEEL NAPTRA SOAP, large 10-lb. carton, special	75c
Match & Glass Cutlery Powder, per lb.	32c
Creamed Biscuit Dessert, pt.	19c
Prunes, fancy quality, size 16-oz. per lb.	12c
Sugar, street R.C. granulated, 30 lbs. for	31.35
Salt, Regal shaker, each	10c
TEA—H.B.C. Turkey Brand, extra strength, 1-lb. flavor for 100gms.	47c
2 lbs. for	81.35
COFFEE—CHAMOMATE, 1-lb. 200gms.	35c
Zale Toilet Soap, fine white flavor for 100gms.	47c
Pride of Ontario Honey, 1/2-lb. can, for	22c
Boggs' Golden Syrup, 2-lb. can, 17c	
Admiral Jenkins Pancake Flour, pt. for	17c
2 lbs. for	34c
Quaker Peas, large 16-lb. bag	27c
Ban Ani Powder, special, 1-lb. bag	12c
2 lbs. for	24c
Elderberry Extract, per bottle	8c
SWED. JUICY ORANGES Extra Large per dozen	39c
California Grapeseed, 6 for	25c
Scotch Toffee, 12 lbs.	22c
HAMMAGROS POTATOES, fine quality	
Noted Game, 200-lb. sack	87c
Carrots and Turnips, 4 lbs.	10c



Come in and have a taste of the new Cream Cheese Frosting. Baked Sprout and Malted Cheeses, per lb. 14c
Cream Cheese, per pt. 15c

Fraser Valley Butter, per lb.	31c
Canadian Mild Cheese, per lb.	18c
Baked Sprout, sliced, per lb.	48c
Admiral Jenkins Pancake Flour, per lb.	12c
Elderberry Extract, sliced, per lb.	34c
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Macadamia, sliced, per lb.	18c
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CONFED. BEER—Stevil Brand, better	2 lbs. for 19c
Two Field Butts, 4-oz. bottle, regular	27c
Stevil Special, 4-oz. bottle, regular	19c
Spring Salmon, 1/2-lb. can, 15c	
2 lbs. for	30c
TEA AND COFFEE AT SPECIAL PRICES—BUY NOW	
Prices will be higher.	
Orange Pulse Tea, regular 16-oz.	45c
Special Bananas Tea, 1-lb. bag	35c
Lord Scott's Tea, 2 lbs.	27c
Tea, assorted, Extra special, 4 lbs. for	27c
Decoy Blend Coffee, 1-lb. bag	23c
Family Blend Coffee, very 1-lb. bag	27c
Decoy Blend Coffee, 1-lb. bag	23c

CROSS RED BOAST AND OTHER BOASTS OF BEEF, 1-lb.	10c
LEGS OF BEEF, 1-lb.	20c
SHOULDERS OF BEEF, 1-lb.	20c
SHOULDER OF PORK, 1-lb.	15c
SHOULDER OF LAMB, 1-lb.	16c
RED LAMB CHOP, per lb.	20c
LEGS OF BUTTER, 1-lb.	20c
SHOULDERS OF BUTTER, 1-lb.	20c
SHOULDER OF PORK, 1-lb.	15c
SHOULDER OF LAMB, 1-lb.	16c

★ SPECIAL	No Phone or C.O.D. Order
BRISKET BEEF	per lb.
STEWING MUTTON	per lb.
BEF SHANKS	6c

Dollar Day Specials in Housewares

4-PIECE TEA SETS

Tasse, sugar, cream and tea in new colors. Attractive in appearance

BLUE BAND DINNERS

ideal for general use or for use in restaurants, etc.

Tea Plates 12 for \$1
Dinner Plates 12 for \$1
Salad Plates 12 for \$1

Plates are measured "over-all."

10-PIECE BLUE WILLOW SETS

Another 10 sets for Saturday selling in this ever-popular pattern; 4 luncheon plates, dessert plates, entrees and tea and saucers. \$1

Special

—Third Floor at "The Bay"

11.00 GROUP

A good choice of worthwhile values, including:

Butter Dish, Honey Jar, Box Biscuits, Salt

and Pepper, Cake Plates, Salad Forks, Dessert

Trays and others. \$1

Each

—Street Floor at "The Bay"

Dollar Hardware

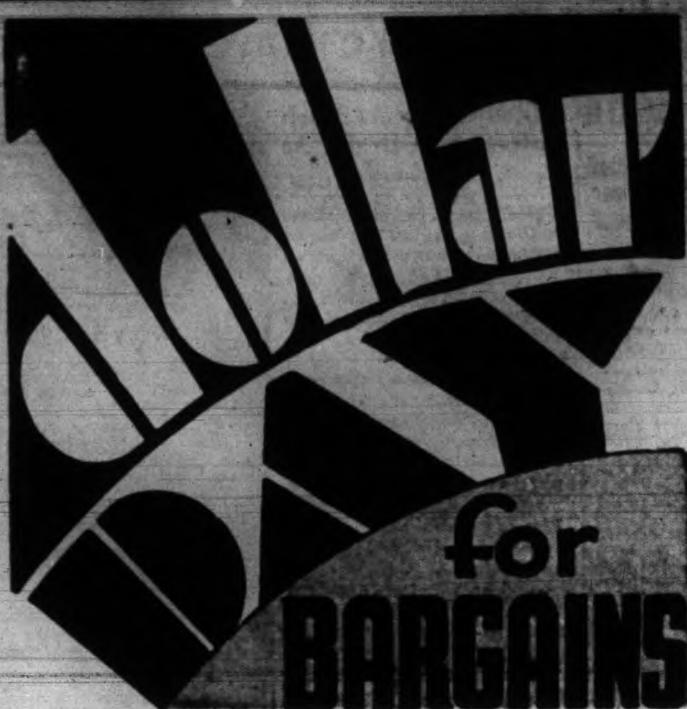
INDUSTRIAL ENAMEL PAINTERS

Brush made. Regular \$1.50. Sale price 50c

each household size.

STANDBY ENAMEL

1-gallon. Household size



Dollar Staples

600 Yards Horrocks

White Flannelette

Closely-woven texture; warm, happy surface. Limit of 12 yards 8 yards for \$1 to a customer.

Striped Flannelette

26 inches wide. Usually sold at \$1.50 a yard. Excellent range of patterns. 5 yards for \$1 for pyjamas and gowns.

Mattress Protectors

Size for double beds. Made from a heavy unbleached cotton. A wonderful value for Dollar Day.

Comforter Batts

Weight 2½ lbs. Size 22x30 inches. Make your own comforter and save.

Colored Turkish Towels

In multi-colored stripe effects. Splendid towels for general use. Size 18x26 inches, Dollar Day 7 for \$1.

Unbleached Cottons

36 inches wide. Fine-textured cottons in a weight useful for many purposes.

Fancy Turkish

Towelling. In pastel colored striped effects. 16 inches wide.

Linens Tea Towels

Here's a sale you'll appreciate! Hand-woven and absorbent Tea Towels. Blue and red checks.

Size 20x30 inches 8 for \$1

Linens Honeycombe

Ready to hang on your rollers. Of a very absorbent quality; will give excellent wear.

Roller Towels

These are of the better kind of Madeira. In a great range of patterns 7 for \$1

Madeira Linen Teacloths

Hand-embroidered in many desirable patterns on fine Irish linen. \$1

Hand-embroidered

Madeira Napkins

These are of the better kind of Madeira.

Woolen Yester and Panties

Woolen Yester with or without sleeves. All-wool Panties and Bloomers in navy, sand and white. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

FLANNELETTE SLEEPERS

Flannelette Sleepers in sizes 2 and 4 years. Striped or plain.

WOOL SWEATERS

All-wool Pullover Sweaters in navy, scarlet, sand or green.

CLEARANCE GIRL'S COATS

Broke sizes in Tailored and Fur-trimmed Coats. The tailored are fully belted and lined. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular \$1.50

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Children's Dresses in Tailored Children's Dresses. Regular values to \$1.50 and \$2.00. Jersey cloth material. Broken sizes 2 to 5 years.

Second Floor at "The Bay"

Wabasso Hemstitched Sheets

Size 20x30 inches. Made from a round thread cotton, which ensures excellent wear. Each

Horrocks Hemstitched Pillow Cases

Famous for their firmness of texture and hard-wearing quality. Hem-stitched ends, 45 inches 4 for \$1

Unbleached Sheets

Size 20x30 inches. The kind of sheets that are made for hard wear.

Size 20x30 inches 5 for \$1

Free from filling. Each

Linen Honeycombe Towels

Meant for face and hand use. Size 19x33 inches.

5 for \$1

Dollar Day

Linen Bridge or Tea Sets

Cloth, size 34x34 inches and 4 napkins. Finished with colored borders.

\$1

Two sets for

Staples, Street Floor at "The Bay"

Dollar Dress Goods Values

Coatings and Suitings

\$1
YARD

FLECK WOOL TWEEDS

In the popular loose weave with pastel colored flecks. Weight for suits and coats. 36 inches wide, yard

CHECK AND STRIPE HOMESPUN SUITINGS

Featuring the new Kasha color with stripes and checks in contrasting colors. 36 inches wide.

A great value, yard

69c

NATURAL PONGEE SILKS

Of a fine texture; clear natural color. 20 yards selling 4 yards for \$1

Dollar Day of

4 for \$1

CREPE BACK SATIN

Superb rich texture and bright solid surface. Colors are ivory, marl, navy, pink, blue, sky, cherry and black.

28 inches wide, yard

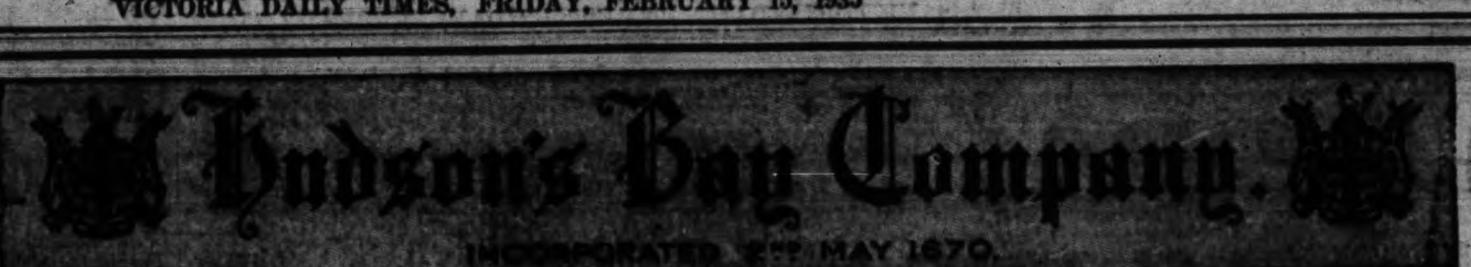
\$1

FINE WASH FABRICS

Including Printed Linens, Printed Nipper Prints and Printy Cambrics. Many colorful patterns to choose from. 36 inches wide 8 yards for \$1

For colors, 26 inches wide 8 for \$1

—Staples, Street Floor at "The Bay"



New Arrivals in Spring Straw Hats

On Sale ... \$1
Saturday ... \$1

50 new Pedaline Straw Hats sell at a special price! A variety of styles that are what you like ... black, brown, navy. Dollar Day bargain.



Women's Handbags

Absolutely the latest designs ... and most attractive. Pouch, flats, vagabond and French envelope styles. Pleated leather and roll-away corners. Neatly lined and fitted. Black, brown, navy.

\$1

Cover Cloth Shopping Bags with zipper top. Strong solid bottom adds greatly to the strength and durability. Handles securely attached. Tan, blue and green. Dollar Day

\$1

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS IN CHILDREN'S WEAR

WOOL VESTS AND PANTIES

Woolen Vests with or without sleeves. All-wool Panties and Bloomers in navy, sand and white. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

2 to \$1

FLANNELETTE SLEEPERS

Flannelette Sleepers in sizes 2 and 4 years. Striped or plain.

2 to \$1

WOOL SWEATERS

All-wool Pullover Sweaters in navy, scarlet, sand or green.

79c

CLEARANCE GIRL'S COATS

Broke sizes in Tailored and Fur-trimmed Coats. The tailored are fully belted and lined. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular \$1.50

95c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Children's Dresses in Tailored Children's Dresses. Regular values to \$1.50 and \$2.00. Jersey cloth material. Broken sizes 2 to 5 years.

1.25

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

Women's Velvet, Satin and Crepe Evening Shoes

Black velvet and waffle velvet, black satin with silver trim and white crepe with silver trim—slippers ready to step along with you at your next dance. Open or closed toes; high Cuban heels. Sizes 8½ to 11½

2.39

Children's Calf Oxfords

Sizes 9 to 2. Black Calf Oxfords; flexible leather soles and rubber heels. Just as pairs to walk out Saturday morning.

1.29

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

Men's English Made Oxfords

Clearance Sale of Women's Felt Hats

All to Go at \$1

Assorted styles in Felt Hats with brims. All colors including pastels. Regardless of their former price they're clearing at \$1.00. See this group!



—Millinery, Second Floor at "The Bay"

120 Printed Poncho Blouses

Usually \$1.49 \$1

Lovely printed designs in these wrap-around Blouses. Rough crepe material in red, blue, green, brown. Special for Dollar Day!

—Street Floor at "The Bay"

300 Printed Home Frocks

Of course you want to share in this Dollar Day offering! Crisp new Print Frocks in floral, figured or polka dot patterns. Frocks that are cut with the same fullness as our higher-priced lines—and that's something. Sleeveless and short-sleeve styles. Sizes 16 to 44

\$1

18 Only Women's Daytime Frocks

Regular \$2.45 and \$3.45 value, for

1.98

Second Floor at "The Bay"

English Made Men's Oxfords

4.85

All solid-leather Oxfords in black or brown calf leathers. Brogues and Blucher-cut patterns. Splendid-fitting and long-wearing Shoes. Men, here's the shoe you want!



—Street Floor at "The Bay"

BOYS' GOLF HOSE

Three-quarter length; medium and 1 ½. Fancy turn-down cuffs. 30 pairs only!

4 pairs \$1

BOYS' FLANNELETTE PYJAMAS

Wool, Flannelette Pyjamas in smart blue or pink stripes. All sizes, 2 to 10 years.

\$1

YOUTH'S COVERALLS

Heavy Cotton Coveralls, with red trim drop seat. Strongly made.

\$1

BOYS' KHAKI COVERALLS

Heavy Khaki Cotton Coveralls, with red trim drop seat. Strongly made.

\$1

ENGLISH PARAMATTA RAINCOATS

Waterproof; 12 to 16 years—size 24, 26 and 28. Full-lined and shirred waist.

\$1

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

Men's Tops, Street Floor at "The Bay"

Dollar Day Sale of Spring Pullovers

Just unpacked—dainty fresh Sweaters. Lacy weaves featuring high or low necks ... long or short sleeves. A wide range of colors, including white, in dozens of styles. Selling for one day at \$1

—Ladies' Ready-to-wear, Second Floor at "The Bay"

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

"WHERE MOST PEOPLE TRADE"
EMPIRE ARCH-CORRECTIVE FOOTWEAR
For Women, \$7.50
TOM & SUE James Maynard Ltd., 642 Yates Street
(ESTABLISHED 1885)

NEW CARS
HOT-WATER
HEATERS
IMPROVEMENT
SERVICE

SAFETY CAR
G 1155 | 25c



25c HEATED CARS
C. & C. TAXI SERVICE
Phone E 1121

ROAD PLAN IS REFUTED

Reports emanating in Vancouver that a group of contractors had planned before the government a plan to build \$5,000,000 worth of roads in British Columbia in exchange for government bonds were promptly dismissed here to-day.

The Department of Finance and Postage Works definitely stated they had no proposal of this nature before them at the present time.

It was believed the reports arose

from suggestions made about fourteen months ago but turned down as impractical.

At that time there was a tentative scheme discussed by which the contractors were to construct hard surface roads and instead of cash take bonds in return. However, they could give no assurance the bonds would not be placed on the open market and further disturb provincial finance.

Allen Griffin was fined a total of \$15 when he pleaded guilty to the charge of wilfully damaging a sidewalk and failing to produce his driver's license. He was fined \$10 on the first count, after the prosecution testified he had driven a truck over a sidewalk which was under construction in the municipality.

DOLLAR DAY
\$1 DAY Dick's Have The Bargains DAY
No Refunds, No Exchanges on This Merchandise

25 SWING
TUNIC DRESSES | AFTERNOON DRESSES
Values to \$5.00
Dollar Day
\$3.97

ODMENTS Silk Dresses
Values to \$1.00 Now **\$1.00**
JERSEY DRESSES
Sizes 14 and 16.
Regular \$2.50
\$1.00

Bodetex JACKETS
Sizes 14 and 20
Regular \$2.50
\$1.00

GIRL'S WINTER COATS
11 to 14 years
Regular to \$6.50
\$1.00

Ladies' HANDBAGS—Regular Values
to \$1.50
Handbags
\$1.00

100 pairs CHAMBERS GLOVES New
spring shades. Special
per pair..... **25c**

Wool Patterns SWEATERS Smart
values..... **\$1.00**

100 pairs Ladies' SUE ROCK. Pat.
standard. Regular \$2.50
Regular \$1.50 per pair..... **50c**

Ladies' LACE HOSIE. For real hard
values..... **15c**

Ladies' Woolens COMMUNION. No sleeves. Rose length.
On sale..... **\$1.00**

Special selection of gay
Print FROCKS and
HOODIES, on sale Dollar
Day, each..... **\$1.00**

25-Inch Dotted MARQUETTE. Reg.
size No 4 4 yards **\$1.00**

25-Inch White FLANNELLETT. Reg.
size No 4 4 yards **\$1.00**

FLANNELLETT SHEET. Reg.
size 72x96 in. Each..... **\$1.00**

ARMOUR COTTON
Regular 300 roll. Special... **25c**

CHEMIS CLOTH—Regular... **12c**

TAPESTRY TABLE
COVER—Regular 11 ft. **\$1.00**

TABLE SPREAD—Reg.
size 72x96 in. On sale..... **\$1.00**

AFTERNOON DRESSES
25 only — sizes 14 to 20
Regular 10 to \$20, on sale Dollar Day
\$2.00

New Shipment of
TWEED SKIRTS
Values to \$2.50
On sale Dollar Day
\$1.98 and \$1.49

DICK'S
PHONE E 1121

NEWS IN BRIEF

The monthly meeting of Naval Veterans Branch No. 42, of the Canadian Legion, will be held in the city rooms to-night at 8 o'clock.

The Welsh Society will present a concert in the Citizens' Reception Room, to-night at 8 o'clock. David Evans will be in charge of the programme.

The Olympic Petroleum Resort and Hoteliers Association has decided to join the community advertising campaign of the Vancouver Playground Association.

An unusual loan by-law, which establishes the municipality's credit to the extent of \$100,000 for any necessary borrowings to meet current expenditures, was adopted by the Oak Bay Council yesterday.

Provincial Police this morning were advised of the death of A. Corrie, aged resident of Outer Point, who was found dead in his bed this morning, apparently having succumbed to natural causes.

Ching Hia, aged Chinese, whose body was found in his cabin on Theatre Alley, died from suicide from a self-inflicted gunshot wound, a coroner's jury which investigated the death said yesterday. The inquest was held at Sandis Mortuary.

J. C. Campbell, director of publicity for the Canadian National parks, is touring Vancouver Island with a publicity team. He will speak Monday at 8 p.m. at the Courtenay and Williams at Qualicum. He will be in Victoria Friday.

Increase in the rate of the isolation hospital to \$5 will be considered by the estimates committee of the Oak Bay Council, the council decided yesterday. The municipality has informed the proposed increase by the city.

The annual loan by-law, which is the Victoria Independent Theological Society will be held at the Anglican Church, Port Street, this evening at 7 p.m. The money will be delivered on "What is the Soul?" and will be given by open discussion.

The Pacific Club is holding entries from bridge players to accept a challenge thrown out by the Victoria Club. Bridge players for six tables are sought for the match which will be played at the Pacific Club on March 1. The game will be followed by a supper.

Classification of Shelburne Street as an arterial highway from the downtown Road to Mount Douglas Park, will be effected by a by-law which will be introduced to the Saanich Council at its next meeting. The council yesterday evening adopted a suggestion from Councillor A. G. Lambright that this be done.

A meeting of the advertising committee of the Evergreen Playground Association will be held in Seattle to-morrow. Advertisements featuring Victoria will appear in Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Fresno, Oakland, Sacramento, and Monrovia newspapers during May and June.

Several representatives of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will go to Nanaimo to-night to attend a meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island called to meet W. Mc. Clarke, secretary of the Canadian Board. Mrs. Alice Clark-Claire is making his annual tour of Canada to discuss policies with boards of trade. Victoria representatives at the meeting will be W. T. Strath, Frank Partridge, Leslie Osborne and W. C. Findlay.

H. W. MacKenzie is the new president of the Pacific Club, with R. E. Denham as vice-president. They were elected by acclamation at the annual meeting of members. The committee elected for the year is: L. Batchelor, B. R. Ciceri, O. C. Lipsey, F. H. Norton and M. H. Ramsey, with P. C. Holden as auditor and B. T. Hill secretary. Retiring President Norton will be succeeded by R. E. Denham. His best year since 1929, and an active programme of refurbishing had been carried out.

Mrs. Vera Wentworth Cogswell of Sooke, widow of Harry A. Howell, passed away this morning at the Jubilee Hospital, "aged severely four."

Mrs. Howell was born in Nova Scotia and had been a resident of Victoria and district for the last forty-eight years. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. A. McDonald of Victoria, son, grand-daughter, Mrs. A. J. Moore, Victoria, and one grandson, Harry MacDonald, in England.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

LAST RITES HELD HERE

The funeral of John Edmund Wood, who was accidentally drowned at Hornby Island on February 10, took place this morning, the cortège leaving the late residence, 405 Douglas Road, at 9:45 o'clock. Fifteen minutes later regular high mass was celebrated at St. Anne's Cathedral by Father C. T. Albury and Father T. Geukens. A class of boys from the St. Louis College attended in a body. The remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The pallbearers were: James Casavant, W. T. Gagnon, Valois Gagnon, G. de Pape, Sydney Knott and James F. Wood.

SILK BOUDOIR CUSHIONS—Reg. No 3 for \$1.00

250 yards 30-inch CHECKED SATIN
Regular 40c | 4 yards **\$1.00**

36-inch UNBLEACHED COTTON. On sale, a yard... **10c**

JAP CLOTHES—all colors. 10c

Large-size STRIPED TOWELS. Reg. No 30c | 3 pairs **\$1.00**

A pair..... **10c**

600 yards 20-inch STRIPED PLAIN-
NETTE—8 yards **\$1.00**

AFTERNOON DRESSES
25 only — sizes 14 to 20
Regular 10 to \$20, on sale Dollar Day
\$2.00

New Shipment of
TWEED SKIRTS
Values to \$2.50
On sale Dollar Day
\$1.98 and \$1.49

Standard Furniture
111-112-113 YATES

HOBBY FAIR IS TO-NIGHT

Wonderful Exhibition of
Craftsmanship Will Open
in Y.M.C.A.

One of the finest exhibitions of craftsmanship ever seen in Victoria is taking shape in the Y.M.C.A., where the third annual Hobby Fair opens at 7 o'clock this evening. This year's fair is on a considerably larger scale than its predecessor, uniting as it does the work of adults with that of boys and girls.

Great cranes, which work in every fashion which a real crane should, from the woodwork of the hobby-workshop that are real works of art. The best that the photographer can produce in the way of scenic illustration stands next to a minute airdrome, complete with hangars, planes, balloons and all the other trimmings.

A fifteen-century galley, with all its fittings, is a model of the Cutty Sark with every piece of tackle, winches, pumps and steering gear which work, and the most modern of planes, with controls that really move rudder, ailerons and elevator, and all the details of its cabin equipment complete, show the advance of transportation.

There are model fighting planes so small that the visitor has to bend down to within a few inches of the ship to see all the detail of its equipment and instrument panel, and others more than two feet across that are as light as a feather.

tiny battlements with gun, catapults and davits all mounted stand next to the latest of liners.

Portraits which are made of different woods; a grim looking prisoner's ball and shackles, with a ball made of glass containing the smithy where it might have been made; drawings, paintings, plans, posters, candy, emblems, flags, etc., are all on display.

The annual fair takes place in H. Ward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 5 o'clock. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

At half-hour intervals, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, films will be shown in the hall depicting the animal life in Canada's great national parks, by George M. Warren.

The fair will be open this evening from 7 to 10 and to-morrow from 2 to 9 o'clock.

OLD-TIMER OF CITY PASSES

Mrs. M. McGregor, Here
Since 1888, Died at Noon
To-day

A resident of Victoria for forty-one years, Mrs. Margaret McGregor, widow of Moses McGregor, passed away at noon to-day at her home, Summit Avenue. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

She has been coming to Victoria twice a year since 1888, and remembers the time when the site of the Empress Hotel, where she is staying, was washed by the tide and frequently by duck hunters.

"Victoria is the garden spot of the Pacific Northwest, on which it is becoming known all over the American continent," said Mr. Lamb.

He has been coming to Victoria twice a year since 1888, and remembers the time when the site of the Empress Hotel, where she is staying, was washed by the tide and frequently by duck hunters.

"They are all trying to cash in on the tourist business, but it is place to place, and the situations you have here that will draw the people," he declared.

Mr. Lamb said Quebec had always been a big drawing card with the people of the eastern states.

"Why, last year Quebec had the biggest tourist year they have had in some time. The people in the east seem to be eager to come out to California and British Columbia."

"They are all trying to cash in on the tourist business, but it is place to place, and the situations you have here that will draw the people," he declared.

Mr. Lamb said the boy was only thinking that kept British Columbia from getting its share of this business.

Distance, however, was now being conquered by the tourist, he explained in pointing to the development of motor travel.

"I have been coming to Victoria twice a year for thirty-seven years, and I have covered a lot of territory, but Victoria stands out as one of the most attractive spots I have ever seen anywhere," Mr. Lamb volunteered.

He testified when he had brought home the chattels and goods from homes he had robbed, his father had never questioned him beyond asking if he had got them and where they had come from.

He had told his father he had been given his boy work he had done in friends' houses, these friends having no use for the property since it was some they had received under a seizure for rent in arrears.

"Did your father ever remark on the regularity with which you came back at night with different articles?" asked C. L. Harrison, prosecutor.

The boy replied negatively.

Mr. Harrison asked the witness what had started him on this series of robbing escapades.

"I don't know," was the answer.

Mrs. Jean C. Moe, mother of the accused, testified the family had arrived in Victoria a year ago last May. Her son was a student at Victoria High School and had always stood at the top of his class. She had no idea before his arrest that he had been going along with his son.

She testified he had come to think electrical work was an obsession with the boy and sometimes, she said, he could hardly stand it. He told her it gave him amusement and she thought it helped him with his school work, so she had not stopped him.

Mr. Harrison asked the witness if she had been given him for work to do, and she said he had not been given him any work to do because he is an ordinary boy, he is so high strung," witness said.

The mother stated she had looked in amazement when the boy had brought home furniture which he had taken from homes he had robbed, but she had believed his story and remarked that he was a good boy.

"The entire structure is better," he asserted.

Mr. Lamb is the man who, nearly a decade ago, walked into Rogers' grocery store on Government Street to buy a box of chocolates and walked out as the owner of the business.

He was a collector of oranges, and there is likely to be an increase in price,

A car of mixed apples from the Okanagan was unloaded on wholesale row this morning. The price of this fruit continues the same.

A carload of Netted Gem potatoes arrived from Merritt yesterday. The local market is looking forward to a car of Kamloops potatoes at the beginning of next week.

The remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

A car of lemons is scheduled to arrive in Victoria to-morrow. These grapes are from the storage supplies of wholesalers. Fresh Australian grapes are not expected to arrive in Victoria until the end of April.

The older specimens will be given to the John Howard Society, Victoria.

The John Howard Society will present a service to the John Howard Society, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 17, at 2 p.m. in the John Howard Society, Victoria.

The John Howard Society, Victoria, is the organization of social welfare work in British Columbia.

With the object of forming a local branch of the John Howard Society, an organization established nearly a hundred years ago for the purpose of rehabilitating prisoners and instituting prison reform, a public meeting will be held in Memorial Hall, Vancouver Street, at 8 o'clock to-night.

John Howard Society, Victoria, and Dr. H. M. Cassidy, superintendent of social welfare work in British Columbia.

For several weeks past, an interim committee has been working on plans to establish a branch of the society here and a projected constitution and board of directors will be submitted to the meeting.

Mr. W. J. McAllister, Edward-Gwynne, is interested in the scheme and is expected to be present.

English Elevens In Cup Fixtures

Number of Interesting
Matches on To-morrow's
Fifth Round Card; Arsenal
Will Travel to Reading;
Important League Games
in Scotland

London, Feb. 15.—A sport poster should make even the most bold soccer fan wild-eyed with excitement as is provided by the draw for the fifth round of the English Cup, to be played to-morrow.

This year's competition so far has seen the downfall of many proud favorites, more by the grit of their lowly-placed opponents than by their skill, and it is on the cards a few more may fall this week-end.

HARDEST JOB

Of the sixteen clubs in the fifth round, nine are first division teams, four are second leaguers, and the third division has three representatives.

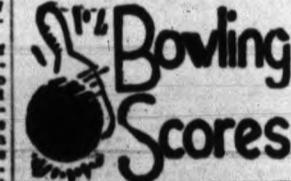
Reading has the hardest job of the three giant-killers, as the draw has put the nucleus of the vast and champion Arsenal team to the outside town, who he eagerly awaited Whittaker, the injured Reading goal-keeper, is reported much better and it is hoped the team will be at full strength. The Gunners' eleven is not yet fully chosen, but it is expected the Davids from St. Johnstone, the Scottish club, will replace Hulme on the forward line.

Great preparations are being made at Bristol, where Preston North End will provide first-class opposition. It is estimated that 8,000 fans crashed the gates at the Ashton Gate ground when the City overcame Portsmouth 3 to 2, and extra police will be on hand to-morrow. Bristol City, another third division outfit, has been training at Southsea and is expected to be at full strength, but Preston's eleven has not yet been selected.

EXPERTS BATTLE

It is twenty-four years since Stoer-pot County, of the northern section, third division, has met West Bromwich Albion, from the first division, and a great battle is in prospect. The Albion's cup semi-finalists of the league-leading Arsenal lost Saturday, and the match with the Davids from St. Johnstone, the Scottish club, will replace Hulme on the forward line.

Seattle, Feb. 15.—Showing their speed to advantage on the larger University of Washington pavilion floor, the Gilmore Oilers trounced the Italian A.C. five to two yesterday evening. In the second period, after two goals had been scored, the Gilmore's speeded up in the final period. Jackie Hawker was high scorer with twelve points. The final game will be played next Tuesday night.



Olympic Alleys Seniors Fifteen League

Canadian Seniors—D. Graham 273, P. Ferguson 261, G. L. Smith 259, C. Armstrong 258, E. Jenkins 256, I. Donaldson 255, W. McLean 254, J. C. Neil 253, G. Anderson 252. Total 2,562.

Toronto Seniors—W. McIntyre 253, G. Anderson 252, G. L. Smith 251, G. Ferguson 250. Total 2,502.

Our Own Brand was three.

B.C.S.E.A.—A. White 461, P. Sherill 327, N. Flack 302, R. Matthews 298, J. Ferguson 296, Total 1,268.

Toronto Juniors—D. Graham 260, J. Ferguson 259, G. L. Smith 258, I. Donaldson 257, W. McLean 256, P. Young 255, H. Moultan 254, A. Harrison 253. Total 2,544.

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Standard Seniors—H. E. Savage 299, P. Morris 257, A. C. Savage 257, W. Fisher 254, low score 252. Total 1,260.

Toronto Juniors—W. McIntyre 253, G. Anderson 252, G. L. Smith 251, G. Ferguson 250. Total 2,502.

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FINANCIAL FIFTEEN LEAGUE

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SHREDDED WHEAT

MADE IN CANADA - OF CANADIAN WHEAT

RATEPAYERS STRIKE SNAG

Association to Reorganize After Failing to Elect Officers

Decision to reorganize at an early date, when all ratepayers of the city of Victoria will be asked to attend, whether members of the organization or not, was made at the annual meeting of the Victoria Ratepayers Association held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium yesterday evening. The meeting was a stormy one and adjournment was called when it became impossible to elect a new slate of officers. Frank Le Roy, president, occupied the chair.

J. Howard A. Chapman was elected president of the association, but this was later rescinded on Mr. Chapman's suggestion when the full slate of officers could not be named. Arthur Minder was elected secretary-treasurer after the constitution had been amended to combine the two offices into one.

There were no nominations for the positions of first and second vice-presidents, and Mr. Le Roy said: "If no one is named I will have to propose these offices and then we will not have any." Four members of the executive of fifteen were elected before adjournment. Mr. Le Roy will remain as president until a new body of officers is elected. "I am trying to

do my duty by you and the ratepayers of Victoria," he said.

Fred J. Crowhurst was duly nominated and later elected president of the association before it was discovered that he was not present. The constitution states that a member must be present to be elected.

MEMBERSHIP SPLIT

Thirty members were present. Early in the meeting, when a vote was taken to determine whether there should be a split in the organization or if the meeting should go ahead and elect the officers, the members split. Fifteen voting on each side. Mr. Le Roy then threw in his vote with those voting for election of officers. Most of those who had voted for reorganization then left the hall, but before the meeting adjourned, the suggestion had been adopted.

In his previous report, Mr. Le Roy gave a brief resume of the association's activities during 1934. There had been three public and nine executive meetings, he reported. In March a delegation of the executive attended the private Mills committee of the British Columbia Legislature concerning the application and petition of the Victoria City Council to borrow for the sum of \$100,000 of refunding two sums—one of \$251,000 and the other of \$400,000. Some of the executive, Mr. Le Roy said, remained for several days continually in attendance on this matter.

During April the executive waited on the City Council concerning the sale of timber at the water shed. The executive held the opinion that this timber should not be sold at that time. In connection with the president's unqualified credit to Alderman Andrew McAlpin who, while not holding with the opinion of the executive, was responsible for producing a higher price for the timber. Also in April the executive took up again the matter of reduction of interest on municipal bonds.

OPPOSED TRAFFIC LIGHTS

In September the executive objected to the "unnecessary expenditure of money by the installing of the proposed traffic signals. We be-

lieve we are on safe ground by advancing and bringing forward only in the interest of speed for auto cars and to place the responsibility of accidents, if any, upon the shoulders of pedestrians. There is, of course, that other ever present interest of some one with influence who has something to sell."

In a November executive report the City Council advised the advisability of a special public meeting of property owners for the purpose of making a co-operative demand upon the government for the return of grants lost to the city.

"His Worship the Mayor evidently did not catch the serious intent of our idea," the report said, "and instead of calling a meeting, as we intended, he invited us to a civic political meeting, at the tail end of which, after all the aldermen had left the platform and most of the audience had gone, we were invited to present any resolution we might have."

BRENTAL CHARGES

Mr. Le Roy suggested that the meetings go on record, and the secretary instructed to communicate with the City Council requesting that the council make a rental charge, in the same manner as mentioned by Capt. Burges J. Godden, the manager, the B.C. Electric Railway Company, the B.C. Telephone Company and all other persons using certain portions of city property for profit.

Before closing his address, Mr. Le Roy spoke of the loss the association and the city had sustained in the death of Alderman R. T. Williams, and in connection with the president's unqualified credit to Alderman Andrew McAlpin who, while not holding with the opinion of the executive, was responsible for producing a higher price for the timber. Also in April the executive took up again the annual membership fee from \$60 to \$1.

SANCTITY OF CONTRACT

"We are approaching a time when we will be accused of not understanding the sanctity of a contract or the meaning of honor," he said. "We have already heard the mayor of Winnipeg complain that the words of the mayor of Vancouver had affected the price of Winnipeg bonds, because some of these people speak a very foolish sense of geography."

Mr. Plante did not actually oppose the Alaska-B.C. Highway, but said that the real urge for its construction came from the United States.

"Judging by history I look on this as an attempt by the United States to complete the Canadian railway line from Mexico to Alaska for strategic reasons," he said.

He dilated upon the manner in which aerial transportation had brought China, Japan and Russia into close contact with the United States and Canada.

"The world needs roads and railways from our own ports into Northern British Columbia and develop that great mineralized area officially."

PANHANDLE FOR B.C.

"And if we are to make such a treaty let us do it to that end and not out of it, by taking for a return of the Alaska Panhandle, at least from Jimmie south."

"Then we can build roads and railways from our own ports into Northern British Columbia and develop that great mineralized area officially."

"But not let us spend the money of this province on great projects without realizing all the international consequences that arise from our changed strategic position."

Before embarking on the Alaska Highway to the north the roads would be built from British Columbia and from Prince Rupert to the interior both from a tourist and development standpoint and from a military strategic standpoint. The isolated condition of Vancouver for ten days when a storm cut off that city from the interior by railroads, two seaways and the Alaska highway was a sufficient reason for building these roads without delay.

Mr. Plante came out strongly for improving the amenities of British Columbia hotels and restaurants.

ONLY PLACE EATING POSSIBLE

"This is the only place in the world where you are permitted to drink and forbids to eat," he said. "We have represented here writing places in an atmosphere of dirt, smoke and noise where you can go to a restaurant to eat food or to listen to music which might ruin the cultural tone of these places."

He suggested that the little hotel and inn along the B.C. highway between the water shed hotels and Victoria and the railway dining car service

OPPOSES PLAN OF VANCOUVER

Peace River Member Flays McGee Policy; Urges Beer and Wine

Vancouver's Mayor McGee, the existing liquor law, the proposed Alaska Highway and the existing centralizing of economic control of British Columbia's affairs in the southwest corner of the province were attacked by Capt. Plante, independent Peace River, in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

Major McGee's "word magic" on the subject of monetary reform and the Alaska Highway were related to great Empire and International affairs.

British Columbia is the sole watchdog of British Empire interests on the Pacific from Cape Barrow to Cape Scott, he said.

The public of Vancouver through wong magic were stirred into a wave of patriotic enthusiasm by the idea of Communism in the fervent language of religion," he said. He cause Canada's important strategic position in the Empire the extravagant language of a man holding office as mayor and in the Legislature was similar to the voice of Canada, he said.

LIFE IS EASED FOR 600 MEN

Work of Citizens' Recreation Rooms For Year Reported; Officers Named

Life is made tolerable for about 600 men by the services of the Citizens' Recreation Rooms at Fort and Langley Streets, according to the report of the year's operations submitted at the annual meeting yesterday evening by A. H. Hundley, secretary, Alberni, chairman of the local unit.

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Industrials Head Improved Trading On Wall St. Board

Associated Press
New York, Feb. 15.—Renewed demand for industrial equities, both preferred and common, gave the stock market a rallying appearance to-day. Volume later turned soft, however, and stemmed the rising tide.

The close was a little irregular, but the trend of the day stepped up to approximately 100 points.

While the news was not exceptionally stimulating, the boardrooms were much more cheerful. A substantial upturn in some of the mining stocks helped sentiment, and investment buying was reported in various parts of the list.

American Canadas stocks, International Nickel and McIntyre improved slightly, while Dome and Canadian Pacific ruled steady on the curb. Lake Shore was about even, but Hiram Walker got up around a point. Dominion Government Bonds were down and quiet. Canadian dollars were unchanged at 89.81%.

Shares up around two to three points included U.S. Smelting, Cerro de Pasco, Howe Sound, American Smelting, McKeeport, The Plate, Coca Cola, American Can, U.S. Industrial Alcohol, Allied Chemical and Consolidated Carbide. Some of the smaller stocks had early gains and finished about even. United Corp. pfd. dropped three. Consolidated Gas pfd. was off more than two and Columbus Gas and Commonwealth & Southern were down about a point each. American Telephone was slightly higher.

(By H. A. Number Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty Industrials, 104.67; up 1.62.

Twenty rails, 32.38; up 0.12.

Twenty utilities, 16.51; off 0.12.

Forty bonds, 27.06; up 0.21.

The range of to-day's Dow Jones averages was as follows:

INDUSTRIALS 11.00—103.54; up 0.49.

12.00—103.61; up 0.56.

13.00—104.49; up 1.84.

14.00—104.31; up 1.46.

RAILS 11.00—32.00; up 0.19.

12.00—32.55; up 0.24.

13.00—32.57; up 0.23.

2.00—32.35; up 0.34.

UTILITIES 11.00—15.00; up 0.04.

12.00—15.00; up 0.04.

13.00—15.00; up 0.02.

2.00—15.13; off 0.12.

GOLD EXPORTS RISE SHARPLY

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—A substantial increase was shown in gold bullion exported in 1945 when it amounted in value to \$21,011,000 compared with \$20,002,000 in the previous year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports.

The amount sent to the United Kingdom was \$21,245,000 compared with \$20,805,000 in 1945, and to the United States \$88,470,000 against \$15,190,000 in the preceding year. Last year there was a small amount exported to other countries.

LIST FIRMS AT MONTREAL

Canadian Press

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Listings picked up somewhat to show a firmer trend at the close on the Montreal Stock Exchange to-day.

C. P. railroads and construction added fractions. Bell Telephone dropped "4" at 1944½, and similar losses cropped out in Brazilian, B.C. Power and a few others. Hollinger advanced thirty cents. Niagara Wire added five at 45¢, and Hiram Walker's on the curb, 1½ to 61½.

(By H. A. Number Ltd.)

Alberta Pacific Grain ... Clos.

Do. Do.

Associated Breweries

Do. Do.

Brown & Root

Do. Do.

Brazilian Traction

Do. Do.

Bushell Mill

Do. Do.

Building Products

Do. Do.

Dominion Glass

Do. Do.

Canada Cement

Do. Do.

Canadas Bronze

Do. Do.

Pomona Steel

Do. Do.

Central Peacock

Do. Do.

Consolidated Oil

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H. E. Power

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Power Corp.

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R. G. Power

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St. Anthony

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St. Catharines

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St. John's

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Tekk Hughes

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White Eagle

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Wright Hargreaves

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Car Battery Prices Are Going Up!

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Luxton

The monthly meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. R. Brown, "Mandala," on Tuesday. Mrs. A. Bamfield was in the chair.

Correspondence included a letter from the Children's Aid Society, Victoria, to which a substantial financial gift was sent, and a communication from the Colwood W.I. to attend the annual "Education Day" to be held February 20, in Colwood Hall.

It was decided to hold the annual Flower show in July.

Committees appointed for the year were: Social, Mrs. J. Trace, Mrs. H. Baxter; visiting, Mrs. A. Hobbs, Mrs. W. Cason; convener, education and better schools, Mrs. D. Welch; agriculture, Mrs. E. Hutchinson; child welfare, Mrs. M. A. Morrow; League of Nations, Miss B. Hall; publicity, Mrs. W. Heath; home economics, Mrs. Radcliffe; library, Mrs. T. Goodsell. The branch will compete in the spring flower show, Mrs. A. Hancock being the convener and Mrs. Cason, the treasurer. Committee arrangements were made for a St. Patrick's card party on March 18.

A meeting will be held shortly to organize a Parent-teacher Association. Monday, February 17, a card party will be held in Mrs. J. Trace's, 1072 Esquimalt Road. Mr. Clegg, Lake Road, is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, where he had a finger amputated following an accident.

Miss Etta McLeod is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. Duncan, Victoria. Miss Clark has returned home after a holiday spent in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. Duncan.

A BARBER WHO HAD RHEUMATISM

Tells How He Carried On

A barber who had been "a martyr to rheumatism" writes:

"I have been a martyr to rheumatism for over ten years. For five years I was so affected it was with the greatest difficulty I was able to carry on my business. I may say I am a barber by trade. After having tried numerous remedies, I was finally advised to try Kruschen Salts. I am now free from aches and pains than I have been for some ten years. In fact, I consider I am rid of rheumatism, thanks to Kruschen Salts." —W.M.

Two of the ingredients of Kruschen Salts are the most effective solvents of uric acid known to medical science. They swiftly dull the sharp edges of the painful crystals, thus converting them into a harmless solution. Other ingredients of Kruschen Salts have a stimulating effect upon the kidneys, and assist them to expel the dissolved uric acid through the natural channel.

Threatened To Shanghai Men

Customs Inspectors in Argument With Alleged Rum Runners

Boston, Feb. 15.—A vessel described by authorities as a rum-runner masquerading as a simple fisherman, was seized yesterday evening by the collector of customs. Joseph A. Maynard, who said three of his agents had escaped being shanghaied aboard the ship and put to death at sea by armed smugglers only by an exchange of hostages.

When the ship, the Clarence B. Mitchell, thirty-eight-year-old flour-draager, was seized at the wharf, Maynard said, she still reeked of the alcohol whose unloading three customs men had come upon twelve hours before at the Boston fish pier.

"Our customs agents were visiting all wharves, checking up on landings of all liquors," the collector stated, "when they found themselves in a crowd of thirty to forty men, taking alcohol off the boat and placing it on the dock."

"They put guns to our men," Maynard continued. "It's the first time they have done that in a long, long while. One of our other inspectors, however, had remained at the head of the dock and had called one of these fellows."

"The rest of them threatened that if these men did not let go, they would carry our inspectors to sea, and kill them. So the exchange was made. Our man showed good judgment—he was up against a crowd."

"They hacked our men right off the wharf with the guns in their backs," Maynard went on. "And the best it out was, 'Just what are they?'" the collector declared, announcing that a federal grand jury would hear to-day the evidence in possession of the customs men. None was found aboard the boat when it was seized yesterday.

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EMPEROR DUE IN MORNING

After annual overhaul in Hongkong, the Canadian Pacific flagship, Empress of Japan, will reach Victoria, to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock, inbound from the Orient and Honolulu.

The liner is bringing in a good list of passengers, including several Pacific Coast residents who have been spending winter vacations in the Hawaiian Islands.

In port this week, the Empress is scheduled to sail from Vancouver and Victoria on Saturday, February 23 on her return to Honolulu and the Far East.

GERMAN LINE BUYS SHIPS

Westernland and Pennland to Be Operated on Atlantic Under German Flag

New York, Feb. 15.—The sale of the Red Star liners Pennland and Westernland to Arnold Bernstein, German shipping operator, was announced here and in Hamburg last week. The vessels have been owned by the International Mercantile Marine Company and have been on the market several months.

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MACON SURVIVORS SMILE AS THEY REACH LAND AGAIN



There was good reason for the smiles of these sailors as they rode in U.S. Army trucks from San Francisco to the giant Sunnyside dirigible base. They were all members of the crew of the dirigible Macon, and when that giant craft was wrecked in the Pacific Ocean off California late Tuesday they had to jump into the sea chamber aboard rubber life rafts and float about until wreckage picked them up in spectacular night rescue work.

TOLLS SCHEME IS PROTESTED

Liberals Object to Canada Aiding Lighthouses in Bahamas, Leeward Islands

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Protests from Liberal members yesterday led Marine Minister Alfred Duranleau to adjourn debate in the House of Commons in his proposal to collect tolls in Canadian ports for upkeep of lighthouses in the Bahamas and the Leeward Islands.

Liberals claimed the proposal would mean discrimination against Canadian ports and shipping. Canada asked no assistance in maintaining its lighthouses and should not be taxed to maintain another country, the Liberals held.

The marine minister said—The

Government is doing what the United Kingdom government has been doing for years by the United Kingdom government through dues collected in its own ports. The annual cost had averaged about \$250,000.

Under the proposal, ships traveling to the Bahamas or Leeward Islands would pay a tax of one cent a registered ton when they touched Canadian ports. Canadian customs officials merely would be collection agents for the British government.

The marine minister told E. J. Garland, U.P.A. Bow River, the United Kingdom Government asked Canada and the other Dominions to collect the dues. Australia, India, Irish Free State and New Zealand already had complied with the request.

Asia Countries Want Tourists

Tokio, Feb. 15.—An international tourism conference to stimulate travel to the Far East will be held in the official residence of Premier Lettice Okada during the week of May 2. It was announced here to-day.

The conference will be attended by railroad, air line, steamship and tourist agency representatives. Delegates from Canada, Great Britain, the United States, Japan, China, Manchoukuo, French Indo-China, the Straits Settlements, the Dutch East Indies, Ceylon, Siam and Turkey will attend.

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